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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Two Georgia farmers asphyxiated by illuminating gas in a boarding house at Savannah. —— A Japanese merchant is purchasing cotton at Southern points for export to Osaka, Japan. —— General Young, with cavalry, is pursuing Aguinaldo. —— The old officers of the R. F. and P. railroad were re-elected at the stockholders' meeting, held in Richmond, Va. —— Mayor Price, of Macon, Ga., is dead. —— The lower house of the Georgia General Assembly passed the anti liquor law; but it will probably fail in the Senate. —— A negro who assaulted a white woman in Escambia county, Fla., was captured and lynched. —— Senator Cullom says the House of Representatives will refuse to seat Roberts, of Utah. —— Gen. Wheeler, in a letter to a friend, advocates the annexation of the Philippine islands. —The Western North Carolina Conference is in session at Concord. —— A syndicate of Northern capitalists has secured control of street railways and gas and electric lighting at Norfolk, Virginia. —— All was quiet yesterday a Rio Grande City, Texas, and no further trouble is expected. —— New York markets: Money on call firm at 6@8 per cent, last loan at 6 per cent.; cotton quiet, middling uplands 7 9-16c; flour less active but firm; wheat—spot steady, No. 2 red 74¼c; corn—spot steady, No. 2 41¾c; rosin quiet, strained common to good $1 30@1 35; spirits turpentine steady at 51@51½c.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 22.

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 62 degrees; 8 P. M., 65 degrees; maximum, 70 degrees; minimum, 55 degrees; mean, 62 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .01; rainfall since 1st of the month up to date, .31.

Stage of water in the river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., 3.3 feet.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—For North Carolina: Fair Thursday and Friday; light to fresh south winds.

Port Almanac---Nov. 23.

Sun Rises	6.48 A. M.
Sun Sets	4 46 P. M.
Day's Length	9 H 58 M
High Water at Southport	12 03 P M.
High Water, Wilmington	3.33 P. M

Missouri is responsible for a good deal of trouble. She sold $8,000,000 worth of mules last year.

A $200,000,000 automobile bicycle and rubber trust is being discussed. Later on, if it materializes, it will be cussed.

If Lawton and Young can't find Aguinaldo they might try an advertisement in the "Lost" column of the Manila papers.

This country can show up pretty well with her infantry. There are 17,000,000 of them enrolled in the schools, an increase of 500,000 in a year.

The Augusta *Chronicle* rises to exclaim: "The idea of a party leader named Sulzer." How would Seltzer do? This would be something sparkling and effervescent, as it were.

Miss Helen Gould has achieved some more honorable distinction. She has recently been made the subject of some sneering and spiteful remarks by her French brother-in-law, Count de Castellane.

Moses Thatcher, the Salt Lake millionaire, who doesn't put on any airs, began on his own hook as a ranch hand. He has just leased a 40,000 acre pasture in Mexico, and handles annually many thousands of cattle on his own account.

A Washington dispatch says Quay is likely to be seated. Very likely. The Republicans in the Senate find Quay too useful to be dispensed with. As Senator Wolcott puts it, "the country"—which is to say, the Republican party—"needs him."

Hon. J. Sterling Morton seems to have taken on a pretty big disgust with some of his own work. In his paper he says "McKinleyism is bribery, robbery, usurpation, tyranny, treason." And yet Hon. J. Sterling Morton helped to fasten all that upon the country.

M. Santos Dumont is said to have solved the problem of steering air ships. He made a trial trip at Paris a few days ago and steered his ship both with and against the wind and landed at the place agreed upon without any trouble. When he runs against the wind he uses a petroleum motor.

The Atlanta *Constitution* remarks that "Philadelphia will spend $12,000,000 for the purification of her water, but not a cent to purify her politics." Pure water is a necessity, and perhaps Philadelphia has come to the conclusion that there is no use in wasting money in trying to purify her politics.

THE MASONIC FAIR A BRILLIANT SUCCESS.

The Attendance the Last Two Nights Over Three Thousand—Patronage is Phenomenal—Saturday Matinee.

The Masonic Fair which opened Monday is already a phenomenal success. On Tuesday and and Tuesday ntght—Wilmington Lodge Night—the attendance was 1,629, and yesterday and last night, 1,540 tickets were taken in at the door.

Last night was Orent Lodge Night, and the Fair was a brilliant success in all its features. The patronage was phenomenal, the country store alone doing a business of $152.10. On Tuesday night the store took in $139.51 in cash. Col. Noble F. Martin says these receipts exceed those of the country store at any Fair he ever managed in the North or West. The receipts at all the booths last night were also large, the business exceeding in volume that of Tuesday night.

Orient Lodge Booth was the centre of attraction last night, as it was "Orient Lodge Night." The young ladies at the booth were bewitchingly attired in Japanese, Grecian and Persian costumes, and they were intensely admired by the great throng of people.

The flower booth, of which Mrs. S. H. Fishblate, is chairman, is very popular and did a thriving business. The flowers were sold out by 9 P. M., but to-night there will be a double supply.

The voting contests are now getting to be an exciting feature of the fair. The contest as to which lodge shall be voted the square and compass is waxing warm. Last night, as was expected, Orient Lodge took a stride ahead of the other lodges. At 12 o'clock the vote stood 158 for Orient Lodge, 124 for Wilmington Lodge, and 33 for St. John's Lodge.

The voting contest, which has for its object the award of a handsome mahogany divan to the most popular gentleman, results so far in a vote of 89 for Mr. James W. Monroe, 44 for Capt. Jno. W. Harper, and 17 for Mayor A. M. Waddell.

Last night the first article was awarded on the share plan, Miss Alice Hewlett being awarded a cask of molasses.

To-night is "Concord Chapter Night' and no doubt there will be another large attendance.

Next Saturday there will be a free matinee for children of twelve years of age and under. All persons over twelve will be admitted at 10 cents each, or on regular book ticket.

LOCAL DOTS.

— The STAR is glad to note that Mr. J. F. Garrell is again able to be out to business after his severe attack of erysipelas.

— The local spirits turpentine market opened yesterday after several days inactivity at 47 to 47½ cents with tone of the market quiet and steady.

— Plans for the erection of a new church building as prepared by Mr. H. E. Bonitz have been accepted by a committee of the Brooklyn Baptist Church congregation and bids will be invited at once.

— Spot cotton was quoted locally yesterday on a basis of 7¼ cents for middling, a decline of one-eighth of a cent over previous quotations. Receipts yesterday were 876 bales against 2,730 on the corresponding date last season.

—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Wilmington Railway Bridge Company, appointed to have been held at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the office of the S. A. L., on Front street, was postponed on account of the lack of a quorum, subject to a call of the chairman, Junius Davis, Esq.

— The stockholders of the Carolina Northern Railroad, in process of construction from Lumberton to Marion, S. C., have chosen T. C. McNeely, of Salisbury, as General Superintendent and he will enter upon his duties December 1st. Work on the new road is said to be progressing very satisfactorily.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

T. D. Love—Best stock.
W. B Cooper—Welcome!
A. Shrier—10 per cent. discount.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Wanted—Board for two.

Mr. Norwood Giles Comes Home.

Mr. Norwood Giles, who has been quite sick in New York, arrived in Wilmington by the Atlantic Coast Line last evening at 5:50 o'clock. He came in a private car and was accompanied by his wife, his brother, Mr. Clayton Giles, his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Nixon Davis and Dr. W. J. Love. Mrs. Clayton Giles, who has been sick, remained in New York.

Mr. Giles stood the trip from New York remarkably well and was resting comfortably last night at the residence of Mrs. Mary V. Walker, on Front and Chesnut streets, where he was taken upon his arrival. His numerous friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Married at Hamlet.

Yesterday morning at 7.15 o'clock at the Methodist Church in Hamlet, N. C., Mr. A. P. Parker, a popular clerk in the Wilmington office of the Seaboard Air Line, and Miss Nellie Hanks Powers, the accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Powers, of that town, were happily married. Mr. and Mrs. Parker arrived on the Seaboard Air Line train yesterday at noon and will reside in Wilmington.

WILMINGTON & WELDON RAILROAD COMPANY.

Sixty-Fourth Annual Meeting of Stockholders Held in This City Yesterday. President Elliott Re-elected.

The sixty-fourth annual meeting of the stockholders of the Wilmington & Weldon Railroad Company was convened at 12 M. yesterday in the office of the company in this city.

Among the stockholders present were Mr. H. Walters, president of the Atlantic Coast Line Company; Mr. Warren G. Elliott, president of the Wilmington & Weldon Railroad Company; Mr. E. B. Borden, of Goldsboro; Mr. B. F. Newcomer, president of the Safe Deposit and Trust Company, of Baltimore, and Messrs Michael Jenkins and Waldo Newcomer, of Baltimore.

The stockholders' meeting was called to order by President Elliott, and upon motion, Mr. J. W. Norwood was made chairman and Mr. James F. Post secretary.

Messrs. H. Walters and James F. Post were appointed a committee to ascertain the number of shares represented in person and by proxy. They reported that 21,605 shares out of 30,000 shares were represented.

A majority of the stockholders being present, the meeting was declared ready for business.

Secretary James F. Post read the minutes of the 63rd annual meeting and the same were approved.

The President's Report

The reports of President Elliott and of the general manager, the secretary and treasurer and the general auditor were read and approved. In his report President Elliott says:

"In presenting for your information the annual report of the company's affairs for the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1899, the President and Directors respectfully submit that the company's property has been kept in excellent condition and that many substantial improvements have been made, which, in accordance with the usual policy of the company, have been charged to operating expenses, and that the receipts from the operation of the road and its branches were in excess of those of the previous year. All fixed charges have been promptly met and the usual semi-annual dividends have been paid to the stockholders.

"The report of the Treasurer shows that the total receipts from all sources during the year, including the sale of $1,700,000 of the Yadkin Division bonds and the $119,877.34 received from the current assets of the Atlantic & Yadkin Railway, were $4,263,094.83, and that his total disbursements, including the amount paid for the Yadkin Division, were $4,173,820.96, thus increasing the current assets of the company to the amount of $90,273.87 as compared with the amount at the end of the previous fiscal year. * * *

"Acting under the authority of the stockholders, given by resolution adopted at the last annual meeting, the Board of Directors have caused a Relief Department to be established by this company, which is operated under the name of the Atlantic Coast Line Relief Department. By agreement with this company, similar Relief Departments established by the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company of South Carolina, the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company of Virginia, and the Norfolk and Carolina Railroad Company, have been associated with this Company's Department, so that the four are now conducted under one and the same management, thus materially reducing the cost and expense to each, and greatly increasing the efficiency of the undertaking. The object of the relief department is the establishment and management of a fund known as a relief fund for the payment of definite amounts to employes contributing thereto, who are known as members of the relief fund, when, under the regulations, they are entitled to such payment by reason of accident or sickness, or in the event of their death, to the relatives or other beneficiaries designated by them with the approval of the superintendent. Appreciating the value and importance of this protection to their employes, the several companies above named have agreed to contribute in proper proportions the expenses of operating the department and to make good deficiences, if any, that my from time to time exist in the Relief Fund, so that the contributions from employes, income derived from investments and from interest on its deposits and advances made by the company, when necessary, to pay benefits as they become due, are held to constitute the Relief Fund applicable alone to the payment of the benefits as above recited. Under the able management of its superintendent, this department has been most successfully established. Having started on the first day of April 1899, the report of the superintendent shows that at the end of the fiscal year, September 30th, 47.64 per cent. of the company's employes had become members. One hospital is now in process of construction at South Rocky Mount for the use of this department, and it is contemplated that others will be constructed at convenient points on the lines of the roads interested, as they may be found necessary in the future, and the usefulness of this department will be increased from time to time so as to secure to its beneficiaries, the employes of the road, the best possible results."

In the report of Treasurer James F. Post the following items appear among the receipts for the past fiscal year on account of operations: From freight, $1,508,857.71; passengers, $550,351.07; express, $77,300.61; mail, $110,747.11; excess baggage, $7,014.65; telegraph, $5,162.77; miscellaneous, $52,030.28—total, $2,311,464.20.

The report of General Manager Kenly shows that the receipts from local freights were $923,360 47; through freights, $586,497.24; through passengers, $305,683 51; local passengers, $244,667 56. During the year there were built in the Wilmington shops two vestibuled postal cars, one vestibuled express car, seventy-six Atlantic Coast despatch cars, twenty stock cars, twenty-five logging cars, one combination vestibuled mail and express car, one vestibuled baggage and passenger car and one vestibuled coach.

Officers Relected.

The election of officers being in order the secretary, upon motion, cast the unanimous vote of the stockholders for the following:

President—Hon. Warren G. Elliott.

Directors—Messrs. H. Walters, J. P. McKay, Michael Jenkins, Waldo Newcomer, of Baltimore; Hon. George Howard, of Tarboro; Mr. E. B. Borden, of Goldsboro; Junius Davis, J. W. Norwood and Donald MacRae, of Wilmington.

After the stockholders adjourned, the board of directors met and re elected the following officers:

Vice President—H. Walters.

Secretary and Treasurer—James F. Post.

General Manager—John R. Kenly.

Traffic Manager—T. M. Emerson.

General Auditor—W. A. Riach.

General Superintendent—John F. Divine.

Executive Committee—Warren G. Elliott, Michael Jenkins, B. F. Newcomer.

Yesterday afternoon at 3.45 o'clock the officials and some of the stockholders left for Charleston to attend the annual meeting of stockholders of the Atlantic Coast Line of South Carolina. In the party were President Elliott, Vice President Walters, Dr. George G. Thomas, chief surgeon and superintendent of the Atlantic Coast Line Relief Department; General Manager Kenly, General Superintendent J. F. Divine, General Auditor W. A. Riach, Traffic Manager T. M. Emerson, Mr. B. F. Newcomer, Mr. Waldo Newcomer, Mr. Michael Jenkins, Mr. R. D. Cronly, private secretary to President Elliott, and Mr. Herbert L. Borden, private secretary to Mr. Walters.

WILLIAM HENRY SHOLAR.

Died at His Home in Wilmington Early Yesterday Morning—Funeral and Interment This Afternoon.

It will be with no little degree of genuine regret that the many friends of Mr. William Henry Sholar will hear of his death, which occurred at his residence, corner Third and Castle streets yesterday morning at 7:50 o'clock. Mr. Sholar was 65 years of age and had been in very poor health for about a year, suffering at times with the most acute attacks of rheumatism and being for a part of the time confined exclusively to his room. For the past several months he gradually grew worse and despite the most skilled medical attention, his afflictions culminated in his death, yesterday morning.

Mr. Sholar was born in Wilmington, April 10th, 1834, and has since resided here. He was a man of many exemplary traits and was well and favorably known in the city. For a period of eight years he was superintendent of streets and discharged his duties in a capable and painstaking manner. He has been engaged in various pursuits previous to and since that time.

He was twice married—in early life to Miss Hattie Kershaw, of Fayetteville, and after her death, on Feb. 3, 1897, to Miss Amelia Cornwall, of Wilmington. The first union was blessed with ten children, three daughters and four sons, surviving him. They are Mrs. C. B. Allen, Mrs. B. F. King, of Wilmington; Mrs. C. F. Norwood, of Macon, Ga; Messrs. John T. and Hiram W. Sholar, of Wilmington, and Mr. H. Wiley Sholar, A. C. L. train dispatcher at Tarboro, N. C. He also leaves to mourn their loss a sorrowing wife and one sister, Mrs. Caroline Fleet, of Wilmington, all of whom were at his bedside at his death and who have the sympathies of friends in their bereavement.

The funeral will be held this afternoon at 3.30 o'clock from Fifth Street M. E church, Rev. Jno. H. Hall, the pastor, officiating. The interment will be at Bellevue cemetery.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

What is Talked About in Association Circles—Work of Woman's Auxiliary.

A Camera Club and Literary Society will be organized Friday night at the Y. M. C. A. Association members are earnestly requested by Secretary Caldwell to connect themselves with the Literary Society if not the Camera Club.

The Lecture Committee of the Association has decided to open to single admission the next entertainment of the Star course, which will be Fodett's Woman Orchestra, December 14th. The price for this attraction has been reduced from $1.25 to $1.00. The committee has also decided to open all other attractions of the Star course to single admissions and to reduce the price to 75 cents. The guarantee was at first made that this would not be done, but owing to the large number of subscribers to the course who failed to call for the tickets, this method had to be resorted to to save the Association from a financial loss.

The Light Committee is considering the practicability of placing arc lights in the halls and auditorium of the building.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary was held in the parlors Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock. The first work of the Auxiliary for the winter will consist of efforts to improve the furnishing of the building as far as possible and the officers express the hope that a large number of women will join the Auxiliary in order to assist in this much needed work.

CASES TRIED YESTERDAY IN THE CRIMINAL COURT.

Term Remarkable for Absence of Important Cases On the Docket—Those Disposed of Yesterday.

New Hanover Criminal Court is still in session and the term thus far has been remarkable for the absence of important cases. The maximum penalty for the present session was yesterday morning imposed by Judge Battle upon James Gilchrist, colored, for larceny. It will be remembered that he was committed by Justice Fowler several months ago for the larceny of a saddle and several other articles from Mr. Sol. Bear and for the theft of a number of articles of cloth ing from the residence of Mr. Clayton Giles. The negro was sentenced to three years at hard labor in the State prison.

Jim Pearsall, the negro who was charged with the larceny of a brass pump from the A. C. L. yards and whose case was continued from Tuesday, was found not-guilty and discharged. Brooke G. Empie, Esq., was counsel for the defence and made a masterly effort for his client.

The following is the official docket of cases disposed of:

James Pearsall, larceny; not guilty.

James Gilchrist, submitted to larceny; three years at hard labor in State prison.

James Gilchrist, larceny; judgment suspended.

Emanuel Williams, assault and battery with deadly weapon; not guilty.

Emanuel Williams, assault and battery with deadly weapon; judgment suspended on payment of costs.

Emanuel Williams, carrying concealed weapons; judgment suspended on payment of costs.

Moses Coachman, assault and battery with deadly weapon; case open.

Mack Taylor, larceny; sentenced to twelve months in jail with leave to county commissioners to work on public roads.

Joe Ward and Willie Best, larceny; not guilty.

Joe Ward and Henry Wright, larceny; six months each in county jail with privilege to commissioners as above.

Moses Brown, assault and battery with deadly weapon; not guilty.

Geo. Kelley, larceny; eight months in jail with leave to commissioners as above.

Wm. Simpson, larceny; eight months in jail with leave to commissioners as above.

Henry Meakan and Ben Meakan, larceny; judgment suspended on account of age.

The grand jury has not yet completed its work and a number of bills were returned yesterday but none was of importance.

CHAPEL OF GOOD SHEPHERD

Rev. R. R. Windley, Who Has Been in Charge, Will Become Assistant to St. Simeon Parish, Philadelphia.

Rev. Robert R. Windley, who for the past two years has served as assistant to the rector of St. James' Episcopal Church and who has been in charge of the Chapel of the Good Shepherd, has secured from Bishop Watson a transfer from the East Carolina Diocese to the Pennsylvania Diocese and will leave the city about December 1st, to become assistant of the parish of St. Simeon, Philadelphia.

Rev. Mr. Windley by his zealous and faithful work, has endeared himself to many Wilmington people who will hear with regret the announcement that he is to leave the field here, but at the same time it will be a source of gratification to them to know that the field here has been abandoned to take up a much larger and more important work in Philadelphia. The STAR learns that another assistant for St. James' parish has not yet been selected.

The new charge was recently visited by Mr. Windley and after preaching there, a call was immediately extended to him.

Local Shipping.

Yesterday was the busiest shipping day along the wharf that Wilmington has experienced in some time, four sea-going vessels having arrived and one cleared for a foreign port.

The arrivals were the schooners *Chas. C. Lister* and *Ira B. Ellems* from New York, the Norwegian barque *River Thames* from Bristol and the Italian barque *Antonio* from Point-a-Pitre. The two first named are consigned to Messrs. Geo. Harriss Son & Co., and the barques are consigned to Messrs Heide & Co.

The British schooner *Brothers* was cleared by Messrs. J. A. Springer & Co., for Nassau with a cargo of shingles, lumber and spars.

Kicked by a Mule.

A man named Carter from the country who came to the city yesterday imbibed too freely of intoxicants and yesterday afternoon in "Brooklyn" he fell from his vehicle and was severely kicked in the left breast just over the heart by the animal attached to the cart. He was carried to Mr. B. C. Moore's drug store on Fourth street where Dr. A. H. Harriss gave him temporary attention after which he was sent by Dr. McMillan to the City Hospital.

Held Survey.

A board of survey consisting of Capt. Edgar D. Williams, harbor master, Mr. W. N. Harriss and Mr. Thos. C. Evans, was yesterday afternoon convened aboard the schooner *Chas C. Lister*, which on her downward trip from New York was damaged by the recent storm and had to put in at Norfolk for repairs. The board recommended that she discharge her cargo of coal for Messrs. J. A. Springer & Co., after which she will probably load with lumber.

BEAUTIFUL WEDDING AT HIGH NOON.

Mr. B. Oscar Stone and Miss Julia Worth Daggett Married at St. James' Church Yesterday.

St. James' Episcopal Church was the scene of a beautiful wedding yesterday at high noon, the contracting parties being Mr. B. Oscar Stone, a prominent young business man of Wilmington, and Miss Julia Worth Daggett, the lovely daughter of Mrs. Eliza R. Daggett, of this city.

The church for this occasion was very handsomely decorated by Mr. John Knight, the decorations consisting of palms and ferns and wild smilax tastefully arranged at the chancel, while the altar rail was entwined with smilax and banked with white chrysanthemums. The reredos was lighted by candles and was beautified by vases of white chrysanthemums.

Long before the hour for the ceremony, the church was filled with the friends of the couple, and while they awaited the bridal party, Mr. E. H. Munson, the organist, rendered several classical selections. When the bridal party arrived, they entered to the stately measures of the bridal chorus from Lohengrin. The ribbon boys, Masters Merrill Blair and David G. Worth, two handsome little fellows, dressed in white serge suits, led the way down the main aisle and took positions at either side of the steps to the chancel. Then came the ushers in couples, Mr. Will A. Caldwell, of Roanoke, Va., with Mr. Dan C. Horgan, of Savannah, Ga., and Mr. W. G. Whitehead with Mr. Henry B. Peschau, both of Wilmington. They were followed by the maid of honor, Miss Elizabeth D. Daggett, the beautiful young sister of the bride, and bringing up the procession was the bride leaning on the arm of her brother, Mr. Walter H. Daggett. The groom, accompanied by his best man and brother, Mr. William H. Stone, came in from the vestry room, and joined the bride at the chancel. The couple thence advanced to the altar and were joined in the holy bonds of wedlock by the Rev. Robert Strange, D. D.

When the marriage had been pronounced the bells rang out in happy acclaim and the Mendlessohn wedding march swelled grandly as the bride and groom and their suite retired from the church.

The bride was attired in a handsome visiting costume of blue silk, trimmed with white satin and embroidered chiffon. She wore a beautiful grey velvet picture hat, and carried a lovely bouquet of bride roses, lilies of the valley and maidenhair fern. Her corsage bouquet was real orange blossoms.

The maid of honor wore a charming dress of white organdy, trimmed with white lace and satin, and had on a white picture hat, with ostrich plumes. She carried a beautiful bouquet of white carnations and maidenhair fern.

The groom and his best man wore boutonnieres of buds of bride roses, and the ushers and ribbon boys white carnations.

From the church the wedding party was driven to the home of the bride's mother, 407 South Front street, where a sumptuous wedding dinner was served. The bridal presents were numerous and very costly, having been sent by friends in this and other States.

Mr. and Mrs. Stone left on the Atlantic Coast Line at 3.45 P. M. for a Southern tour, embracing Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville and St. Augustine. As they took the train they were greeted with a shower of rice. They will return in ten days and make their home with the bride's mother.

Mr. Stone is one of Wilmington's most enterprising young business men. He came here in 1893 and took a position with Messrs. Corbett & Gore as stenographer and billing clerk. He was soon promoted to the management of their city trade, and later was promoted to travelling salesman. He held that position till October, '98, when he went into the wholesale grocery business with Mr. R. M. Wescott, under the firm name of Wescott & Stone, at 108 South Water street. On the 1st of October, 1899, Mr. Stone bought out Mr. Wescott's interest, and is successfully carrying it on at the old stand.

IN MEMORY OF MR. GEORGE HARRISS

Resolutions Passed by Navigation and Pilotage Board Yesterday.

At a meeting of the Navigation and Pilotage Commissioners of the port, yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, the following resolutions in honor of the late lamented George Harriss were drafted by a committee appointed for the purposes and duly passed by the meeting.

WHEREAS. God in his wisdom has seen fit to remove from our midst, George Harriss, one of our oldest and most valued members, therefore be it.

Resolved, That while we recognise the hand of God in this sad bereavement we deeply deplore his death and mourn the loss of one who has been so faithful to his trust.

Resolved, That that the sympathy of this board be tendered to the bereaved family and that a copy be sent to the city papers with request to publish and that a page of the record of this board be sent apart to his memory.

SAMUEL NORPHROP,
JAMES W. CRAIG,
Committee.

— There will be a meeting of the Cape Fear Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, at 11 o'clock to-morrow at the W. L. I. Armory. A full attendance is desired, as a report of the general convention at Richmond will be made.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. W. W. Green, of Raleigh, is here.

— Mr. W. T. Howle, of Raleigh, is visiting the city.

— Mr. N. P. Cannon, of Charlotte, is a guest of The Orton.

— Mr. C. C. Moore, of Orven, N. C., is here on a business trip.

— Mr. J. W. Jenkins, of Winston, arrived in the city last evening.

— Mr. J. F. Mann, of Turkey, N. C., is here attending the Fair.

— Mr. J. A. Westbrook, of Mount Olive, spent yesterday in the city.

— Mr. R. H. Bert, of Warsaw, was among the fair visitors yesterday.

— Mr. W. L. Grimes, of Kenansville, came down to the city yesterday.

— Mr. G. F. Jenkins, of Salem, was among last evening's arrivals in the city.

— Mr. J. D. Mallard, of Wallace, was here yesterday taking in the Masonic Fair.

— Mr. E. W. Gregory, of Richmond, is among the travelling men at The Orton.

— Mr. Oscar Lewis, of the Seaboard Air Line, came down yesterday from Charlotte.

— Capt. W. S. Partrick and Dr. F. H. Holmes, of Clinton, came down to the Masonic fair.

— Mr. T. B. Ludwig, of New York, is among the travelling men registered at The Orton.

— Mr. Frank Gough and daughter, of Lumberton, came down yesterday, and attended the Masonic fair.

— E. M. Koonce, Esq., of Jacksonville, N. C., is among the visiting attorneys here attending court.

— Mr. O. L. Clark, of Clarkton, came down yesterday to make business calls and take in the Masonic fair.

— Mrs. J. C. Holmes and little daughter of Clinton, N. C., are here attending the Fair and are guests of friends and relatives.

— Capt. J. W. Lamb, of Goldsboro, is among the Fair visitors. "Wash" is an old Wilmington favorite, and "the boys" are glad to see him.

— Mr. W. B. Fort, of Pikeville, was here yesterday attending the 64th annual meeting of the stockholders of the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad Company.

— Mr. A. J. Crampton, of Charlotte, travelling representative of the Textile Mill Supply Company of that city, arrived in the city yesterday on a business trip.

— Mr. Ike Hirshberg, of Wheeling, W. Va., manufacturer of "Wheeling stogas," arrived in the city last evening and is being cordially greeted by his host of friends.

— Mr. J. E. Kelly, of Florence, was a STAR visitor yesterday. Mr. Kelly has been in the railroad service forty-six years, and is now one of the inspectors of wood and cross ties for the Atlantic Coast Line.

— Capt. Jno. H. Sharp, Treasurer of the Seaboard Air Line, who was here yesterday to attend a meeting of stockholders of the Wilmington Railway Bridge Co., left yesterday afternoon for his home at Portsmouth.

— Mrs. Henry B. Kopf, of Patterson, New Jersey, who has been spending some time in the city, the guest of her parents, Capt. and Mrs. J. W. Plummer, returned to her home last evening. Miss Nellie Plummer accompanied her, and will spend the Winter there.

To City Subscribers.

City subscribers are earnestly requested to report promptly at the STAR office every failure of the carriers to deliver their papers. In all such cases steps will be taken to insure promp and regular delivery.

DIED.

SHOLAR—In this city, yesterday morning at a quarter to eight o'clock, W. H. SHOLAR, in the 65th year of his age.

Funeral this afternoon at 3.30 o'clock from Fifth Street M. E. Church. Interment in Bellevue Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

IT IS A MISTAKE

As stated in yesterday's "Messenger," that there are no Business Houses FOR RENT. One of the most desirable stores in the city now occupied by Fishblate Clothing Company

will be vacant from Oct. 1st.
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NOTICE.

All persons are hereby warned against harboring, or crediting on my account, a colored boy bound to me under the name of Willie Brewer, but commonly known as "Willie Wagner." He is short and thick set in stature and about 15 years old, and has lost index finger of right hand.

nov 21 tf D&W JOHN G. WAGNER.

Welcome.

5,600 C. C. Nuts.
110 Barrels Apples.
3,800 Pounds Mixed Nuts.
4,200 Pounds New Raisins.
240 Boxes Firecrackers [En route.]
6,000 Pounds Plain Candy.
3,100 Pounds Mixed Candy.
1,000 Pounds Caramels.
415 Bags Peanuts.
100 Bags Wheat Bran.

CALL ON US WHILE HERE,
W. B. COOPER,
Wholesale Grocer,
nov 23 tf Wilmington, N. C

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

The Murchison National Bank.
Wilmington, N. C
CAPITAL, - $200,000.
Receives deposits subject to check.
Lends money.
Makes collections anywhere
Buys and sells Foreign Exchange.
Furnishes Letters of Credit, available all over the world.
Polite attention, prompt service and liberal dealing guaranteed.
H. C. McQUEEN, President.
J. V. GRAINGER, Cashier.
nov 4 tf

Vollers & Hashagen.
In addition to our usual line
PROVISIONS,
We have a consignment of
400 bbls Mullets
Shippers calling for money and yours will buy them low.
We are exclusive agents for
Renown,
Cuban Blossom,
El Capitan General,
HIGH GRADE CIGARS.
Vollers & Hashagen,
Packers and Manufacturers' Agents and Headquarters for Cash Buyers.
nov 19 tf

Atlantic National Bank,
WILMINGTON N. C.

Capital - - - - - $	125,000
Surplus & Profits	100,000
Deposits - - - - -	1,084,000
Total Assets - - -	1,353,000

Stands First
on the Honor Roll of National Banks in Wilmington as to strength,
and
Leads the State in Deposits and Assets,
But
We want more business and accounts, no matter whether large or small.
J. W. NORWOOD, PRESIDENT.
LEE H. BATTLE, CASHIER.
nov 5 tf

Specialties
For this week's trade.
Lowney's Select Chocolates,
Tenney's Fine Candies,
Fresh Home-Made Taffies,
Consignment by this week's steamer of the
Fanciest lot of Tropical Fruits
brought to Wilmington this season.
Yours to Please,
J. W. PLUMMER, Jr.,
204 Princess street.
Inter-State 'Phone 133. nov 11 tf

BEST STOCK YET....
Our Apples on this week's steamer are fine. You should order your Penny Candles from us.
Our line is complete...
150 bundles new Cotton Ties less factory cost. Virginia Meal Standard brands Tobacco and Snuff. Everything. We are in business to serve you.
If you have anything to ship try us.
T. D. LOVE,
24 North Water Street.
Steamer for Fayetteville Mondays and Thursdays. Passengers, freight and towage.
For rates apply to T. D. LOVE.
nov 21 tf General Agent.

You can't complain
About your linen if you buy it from us. We have Shirts to fit, and Collars and Cuffs that are right up to the minute in style. Our aim is to secure the very best goods made, and to sell them to you at the lowest possible prices. All we ask is a chance to convince you that we are succeeding.
VONGLAHN & GIBSON,
Men's Wear Depot,
nov 19 tf No. 120 Market St.

WILMINGTON STEAM LAUNDRY,
Corner Front and Orange,
is the only Steam Laundry in the city where the washing and ironing are done by machinery and where it goes through all the different processes. When the clothing comes out it is CLEAN. We can do Domestic or Gloss finish, whichever you prefer. We run two wagons and collect and deliver all goods. We employ about 25 hands, our pay roll running from ninety to a hundred dollars a week. Our tax is about $100 a year. All this is left in Wilmington. How much does the Chinaman leave here? Think of this when you want laundry work done and call up Bell 'Phone 25, Inter-State 209.
EDWARD WRIGHT, Manager.
nov 2 1m

PUBLISHER'S ANNOUNCEMENT.

THE MORNING STAR, the oldest daily newspaper in North Carolina, is published daily except Monday, $5.00 year, $2.50 for six months, $1.25 for three months, 50 cents for one month to mail subscribers. Delivered to city subscribers at the rate of 45 cents per month for any period from one month to one year.

ADVERTISING RATES (DAILY)—One square one day, $1.00; two days, $1.75; three days, $2.50; four days, $3.00; five days, $3.50; one week, $4.00; two weeks, $6.50; three weeks, $8.50: one month, $10.000; two months, $17.00; three months, $24.00; six months, $40.00; twelve month, $60.00. Ten lines of solid Nonpariel type make one square.

THE WEEKLY STAR is published every Friday morning at $1.00 per year, 60 cents for six months, 30 cents for three months.

All announcements of Fairs, Festivals, Balls, Hops Picnics, Society Meetings, Political meetings, &c., will be charged regular advertising rates.

Advertisements discontinued before the time contracted for has expired, charged transient rates for time actually published.

No advertisements inserted in Local Columns at any price.

All announcements and recommendations of candidates for office, whether in the shape of communications or otherwise, will be charged as advertisements.

Payments for transient advertisements must be made in advance. Known parties, or strangers with proper reference, may pay monthly or quarterly, according to contract.

Remittances must be made by Check, Draft, Postal Money Order, Express or in Registered Letter. Only such remittances will be at the risk of the publisher.

Communications, unless they contain important news or discuss briefly and properly subjects of real interest, are not wanted; and, if acceptable in every other way, they will invariably be rejected if the real name of the author is withheld.

Notices of Marriage or Death. Tributes of Respect, Resolutions of Thanks, &c., are charged for as ordinary advertisements, but only half rates when paid for strictly in advance. At this rate 50 cents will pay for a simple announcement of Marriage or Death.

Advertisements inserted once a week in Daily will be charged $1.00 per square for each insertion. Every other day, three-fourths of daily rate. Twice a week, two-thirds of daily rate.

Contract advertisers will not be allowed to exceed their space or advertise anything foreign to their regular business without extra charge at transient rates.

Advertisements kept under the head of "New Advertisements" will be charged fifty per cent. extra.

Advertisements to follow reading matter, or to occupy any special place, will be charged extra according to the position desired.

The Morning Star.

BY WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON. N. C.

THURSDAY MORNING, Nov. 23.

BOOSTING THE SUBSIDY STEAL.

The report of the Commissioner of Navigation, Chamberlain, gives some interesting information as to American shipping, but it is gotten up in a way which shows that one of the objects in view was to boost the ship subsidy steal which will come before Congress, under the joint sponsorship of Senator Hanna and Representative Payne, both of Ohio. This report shows that the past year was a prosperous one for our shipping, and that we had a total documented tonnage on June 30th embracing 22,728 vessels, with a gross tonnage of 4,864,238 tons, the largest since 1865. Of these vessels 21,397, carrying 4,015,992 tons, operated under our coast laws, giving us a larger coasting tonnage than any other nation. Our steam tonnage for the first time exceeded all other craft, but in this we are eleven years behind, for eleven years ago the steam tonnage of the rest of the world exceeded the sail tonnage, showing the progress that has been made in relegating sail for steam vessels. The showing for coastwise and lake vessels is pretty good but when it comes to the highways of the sea there is a striking contrast, for American bottoms carried less than nine per cent. of our exports and imports.

As further showing how steam vessels are taking the place of sail vessels he notes that within the past twenty-five years the sea-going sail tonnage has decreased from 14,185,-836 tons to 8,693,769 tons, a decrease of 40 per cent. The United States show the average decrease. Within the same time the world's steam tonnage has increased from 4,328,193 to 18,887,132, or 336 per cent. Norway and Germany show the highest percentage, the former 1,400, the latter 700. The increase in the United States has been only 68 per cent., and for the Atlantic and Gulf coasts only 38 per cent.

As far as steam tonnage is concerned we have fallen from the second place, next to Great Britain, to the seventh, behind Japan, and this he makes the basis of a plea for subsidies, arguing that subsidies are the explanation of the growth of the merchant marines—steam vessels—of other nations, which, according to him, pay $26,000,000 a year in subsidies. That is $26,000,000 a year divided among seven or eight nations, an average of about $2,000,000 each, whereas he thinks we ought to give subsidies to the amount of about $9,000,000 for a number of years to come. He does not state the fact, however, that the bulk of these subsidies consists simply of sums paid for carrying fast mails to countries where the Governments paying them have colonies or large trading interests, nor the other fact those Governments permit their ship owners to buy their ships wherever they can do so to the best advantage, and that when they pay bounties to home-built vessels it is with the stipulation that they be so constructed that they can be readily converted into auxiliary war vessels, for the use of the Government in the event of war. Thus the bounty paid ensures the Government that pays it a valuable addition to its navy in time of need. This is about the only plausible plea for a bounty that we have seen, and the only way in which there is the slightest appearance of the Government receiving any consideration or equivalent for the bounty paid.

Last year Great Britain built vessels with a tonnage of 9,680,000 gross tons and German yards turned out 850,000 gross tons. Both of these countries build for the world, but as Great Britain is the great shipbuilder she does nearly all the building not only for herself but for other nations which do not build all their own ships. Great Britain pays subsidies on only about 2 per cent. of her shipping, the 98 per cent. operating without any Government aid.

Other nations pay small subsidies for carrying the mails and so do we, but even with these subsidies we have fallen behind nations which allow free ships, that is allow their people to buy ships where they choose, as Japan does, which has practically taken the carrying tide on the Pacific away from our subsidized Pacific lines.

If we are by means of bounties and subsidies to compete with nations which last year built 9,680,000 gross tons, and 850,000 gross tons compared with our 213,000 gross tons, and have in addition to this more favorable marine laws, and cheaper marine service, then this Government had better go directly into the ship-building and ship sailing business, for mere bounties will never do it. To be effective the bounties and subsidies must more than offset the cheaper ships, and the cheaper sea-service which the foreign ship sailers are alleged to have.

This bounty and subsidy scheme as proposed means that this Government will pay a large part of the cost of building ships, and after they are built a large part of the cost of operating them, and let the ship building and ship running trusts pocket the profits. That might and probably would give us more ships, but if it be ships that are wanted, a speedier, more effective and less expensive way would be to repeal the obstructing legislation, let down the bars and let American capitalists buy ships where they please, and then if there be anything in our marine laws which give the foreign owners any advantage over the American owner of ships repeal that and give American enterprise a fair showing. This will give us a merchant marine without giving millions to a trust and without putting the ocean carrying trade in American bottoms in the power of a combine, which would be one of the first results of the enactment of the subsidy steal.

A FIVE YEARS TUTELAGE.

The Philippines are attracting so much attention now that we hear comparatively little about Cuba, but the Cuban problem isn't settled by a good deal, and it will be some time yet before it is settled. This Government has a grip on it, doesn't want to loosen that grip, and if any apparently plausible excuse can be found for retaining its grip, the grip will be retained. There are intimations of this thrown out from time to time, or rather excuses in advance for contemplated action, of which the following, clipped from the New York *Sun*, is the latest:

Joseph L. Hance, who was the American Consul at Cardenas, Cuba, before the war with Spain, landed yesterday from the Ward liner Santiago, which arrived from Havana on Saturday. He said he had been making a tour of Cuba on horseback since June, in order to find out the industrial condition of the island. He said:

"Sugar cane is rarely seen on the plantations now. Tall grass hides everything. In the provinces of Havana, Matanzas and Santa Clara, 1000 mills and all the cane have been destroyed. The value of the machinery destroyed will average $400,000 making the total destruction $400,000,000. The cane lost averages $200,000, making a total loss of $200,000,000. The loss of stock and implements will reach $80,000,000. Adventures have promulgated the idea that planters will not have adequate protection in Cuba, and therefore nothing is being done toward replanting the burned fields or replacing the machinery. Every one on the island who has any property at stake desires a continuance of American occupation, or any form of government under our protection that will afford stability. There is not a Spaniard in Cuba who does not prefer annexation to government by the Cubans, and many Cubans express the same view.

"Not one soldier of our army should be withdrawn. It would be discreditable to this nation if, after driving out the Spaniards, we were to turn the island over to the Cubans—I mean the Havana Separatists—without any further instruction in self-government than they now possess. Some property holders say that if our army is withdrawn they will sell out and leave the country.

"I believe that the Cubans should have a provisional government for five years, formed by act of Congress, providing for a legislative assembly, elected by inhabitants having property and educational advantages, and that there should be a Governor, appointed by the President of the United States, with the advice and consent of the Senate. I think we should organize in each province United States courts, having similar jurisdiction to our Federal courts."

This is a pretty rough sketch of the present condition of the island, nearly a year and a half after it has come under United States control. At this rate of progress how much more are we to expect at the end of the five years tutelage which Mr. Hance suggests? If we are to retain our grip on and keep our soldiers doing police duty there until the conditions are entirely satisfactory they will be there forever, unless a majority of the native population be exterminated or deported and their places taken by a different class of people. A vast amount of education will be necessary before even the more intelligent minority can reach the American standard of self government. The sum and substance of all this talk and dallying is that Cuba is to be absorbed when the time for "annexation" comes.

Senator Wolcott says he will vote to seat Quay "because the country needs him." This is an illustration of the saying that "necessity knows no law." This little matter of law does not bother Wolcott, when it comes to voting for a necessity.

AND IT DID.

Before the State Supreme Court rendered its decision in the ten cases referred to in the Raleigh dispatch, published in the STAR yesterday, the Raleigh *News and Observer* published the following horoscopic editorial, in which it struck the nail on the head in the prediction that the court would do likewise:

"There are now ten cases before the Supreme Court involving title to office. While we have no means of predicting the result other than the means which Patrick Henry employed, to wit, judging the future by the past, it is safe to say that the court will go Bepublican as usual.

"It is a little singular—or is it natural in a non-partisan court containing three Republicans and only one Populist?—that in the case where there have been contests for offices, when the Republicans were claiming the offices, the court docided with them, but where the Populists were the contestants the court found no way to let them continue in the receipt of their salaries

"Let us see how the court has decided in six cases involving title to office. In Day's case—Day voted for McKinley and is therefore regarded by the court as a good Republican—the court found a way to decide in Day's favor.

"Wilson, the Republican clerk of the Western Criminal Court, won in a walk before the Supreme Court. Patrick, a Republican, had litigation to hold on to his salary as president of the A. & N. C. Railroad, but the Supreme Court found a way to keep him in.

"How was it with the Populist contestants? Did they fare so well even in the ratio of 3 to 1 before the Supreme Court? Let us see.

"Father Burns, a minister who had done much to secure a non-partisan Supreme Court with three partisan Republicans, wanted to keep his office. The Supreme Court couldn't stretch Hoke vs. Henderson enough to cover him.

"In the printing case, Barnes was in and asking the court to let him continue to do the printing, but he had to go. Barnes is a populist.

"In the Agricultural Board, Kelly and other Populists were in and were very anxious to stay in, but the court found a way to put them out.

"In the ten cases now pending before Supreme Court involving title to office, nearly all these claiming that Hoke vs. Henderson is a big enough to cover them are Republicans. It is safe to say that they will not be without "kivver" this winter.

The blanket was big enough, or stretchable enough, and it was accordingly but stretched without the assistance of Judge Clark, who didn't believe in the stretching process and filed a dissenting opinion which is a strong and comprehensive document.

SMALL MILLS

Mr. W. Witham, of Georgia, is doing a good work in stimulating an interest in small mills in his State, and the good he is doing reaches beyond Georgia, for everything he says in advocacy of small mills in that State applies equally to small mills in every other Southern State. What he says is forcible because supported by facts and figures, for which he personally vouches.

In a published letter he says he can name a half-dozen mills, having from 4,000 to 10,000 spindles, which, to his personal knowledge, show from 25 to 60 per cent. earnings for the past year. He is a stockholder in a number of mills and is now organizing three more in which he will hold stock.

He is not only a believer in the small mill but in the future of the South, expressing the opinion that "the entire commercial interest of the South is now going through a change that will result in rapid growth of wealth and manufacturing." As illustrating the change he says:

"Previous to the past few years, all of the institutions which I have the honor to represent were forced to borrow all their money in New York. Now, we are able to get our money in Southern cities, and at New York rates of interest."

He is president of 27 State banks in Georgia, and as further illustrating the improved conditions in that State, and how self-reliant she is becoming, he adds:

"In the twenty-seven banks located in Georgia, of which I am president, three out of every four dollars on deposit belongs to the farmer. A fact not generally known."

Georgia is evidently learning some new ways to make money, to keep it at home, and to invest it in ways to make more money, and in this she stands as a conspicuous exemplar to her sister States.

Uncle Sam pays out light-weight gold but he doesn't take it back. Three of the New York custom house clerks were paid in gold a few days ago. They received their pay at the sub-treasury. Preferring paper, they asked the custom house cashier to give them paper in exchange for it. He declined because the gold was light weight. They went back to the sub-treasury with it and were informed that it was "light weight" and if they wanted paper for it they could get it by turning it in at the United States Assay office at a discount. This was simply a case of cheat in which the clerks got the worst of it, apparently without any redress.

Referring to the talk of retiring Hanna from the chairmanship of the National Republican committee, Hanna rises to remark, "I am not going to retire from anything." Mark is not of a retiring disposition, especially when he has a good thing.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup The best remedy for Consumption. Cures Coughs, Colds, Grippe, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Asthma, Whooping-cough, Croup. Small doses; quick, sure results. *Dr. Bull's Pills cure Constipation. Trial, 20 for 5c.*

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Durham *Herald*: Alfred McClehan, colored, was arrested yesterday by the police on a warrant sworn out by his wife, charging him with attempting to commit rape on his 12-year old step daughter.

— Greenville *Reflector*: Mr. Peter F. Forbes died Sunday morning at the home of his father, Mr. Arthur Forbes, three miles below town. He had been sick only a few days, having taken his bed with pneumonia last Wednesday.

— Salisbury *Sun:* For twelve years Mr. A. M. Brown owned a certain mule. He sold this mule a year ago. Since then the animal had probably belonged to several people. But last night he wandered back to his old home and appeared to be perfectly contented this morning.

— Salisbury *Index*: A fatal accident of a most distressing character occured at the home of J. C. Miller, a well-known farmer living at Franklin, about four miles from this city, late yesterday afternoon. At that time Mr. Miller's son, Henry a boy about 10 years old, was in the house alone and, picking up an old rusty pistol on the bureau, commenced "fooling with it" after the fashion of boys generally under such circumstances. Not knowing the weapon to be loaded he was snapping it in a careless way without paying any attention to the direction in which it was pointed, and while so doing the weapon was discharged, the ball passing through the back of his head causing death in a few minutes.

— Charlotte *News:* Messrs. Chas. E. Johnson and Company, cotton merchants of Raleigh, through their representative here, Mr. John H. Weathers, stored in Charlotte Bonded Warehouse, 155 round bales of cotton, shipped from the plant located at Goldville, S. C., 143 bales weighing 37,835 lbs., came in one car, being equal in weight to 84 of the square bales, and it would have taken over three cars to have brought them in that shape. It would have taken two cars to have brought the compressed bales, The cotton is being stored for the mills in this section, who are anxious to try the American Cotton Co's. new bale.—— 'Squire Hoey, from Below Pineville gieves some interesting figures relative to the amount of cotton ginned by him this year as compared with last year's work. Up to date last year he ginned 600 bales while up to date this year 'Squire Hoey has ginned only 425 bales. This gives a crop of about 66 per cent. as compared with last year.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— The Hon. Bill Bynum was compelled to wait a long time for his reward. Several times he must have been tempted to return to his free silver and free trade views.—*Washington Post, Ind.*

—— There is a race war in Chicago between the white and black employes on the city sewer. If the negro is not good enough to work on a chicago sewer, which way is he to turn for employment?—*Louisville Courier Journal, Dem.*

—— Nearly a million dollars is now going into cotton mills in Mississippi. That good state is moving steadily forward and her people are to be more prosperous than they have been for twenty years past past. —*Atlanta Jonrnal, Dem.*

—— One of our consuls in France has sent to the State Department a description of the new Mendel consumption cure, which is causing such excitement throughout Europe. The results produced by Dr. Mendel excite great attention among the medical faculty and the people, and he has published his formula in the interest of humanity and science. It involves the injection of a simple solution into the larynx, which relieves the cough, and sleep, strength and appetite speedily return. While it will be received with attention and have full trial, it will be quite unlike other consumption cures if it does not leave the mortuary statistics of that malady about where they were before.—*New York Tribune, Rep.*

TWINKLINGS.

— "Is your new play a comedy or a tragedy?" "I cant tell until I see how the audience takes it."—*Chicago Record.*

— Great Author—"That really is the most senseless story I ever wrote." His Wife—"Are you going to sign your name to it?" "Why, if I didn't they wouldn't take it."—*Life.*

— "No," said the feathered philosopher of the barnyard; "there isn't a turkey that can be said to be truly happy until after Christmas."—*Philadelphia North American.*

— All Kinds of Poetry: "War poetry is appearing in England in large quantities," remarked the Horse Editor. "Yes, England is getting verses and reverses," added the Snake Editor.—*Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.*

— Winterized.—"Have you seen a summarized statement of the vote?" asked the friend. "No," answered the defeated candidate, "I don't believe there is any use trying to summarize it. The whole thing is a chill November Frost."—*Washington Star.*

— "If I were in such a fix as Congressman elect Roberts of Utah is," said Mrs. Smithers. "I would—" "No you wouldn't," Mrs. Smithers interrupted. "If you were in that fix I would attend to the matter myself." —*Chicago Times Herald.*

— What," asked the sentimental young woman, "was the most touching incident you ever witnessed?" And, after some thought, Senator Sorghum answered, with emphasis, "An election."—*Washington Star.*

Millions Given Away.

It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern in the land who are not afraid to be generous to the needy and suffering. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds have given away over ten million trial bottles of this great medicine, and have the satisfaction of knowing it has absolutely cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness and all diseases of the Throat, Chest and Lungs are surely cured by it. Call on ROBT. R. BELLAMY, druggist, and get a 10c trial bottle. Regular size 50c and $1. Every bottle guaranteed or price refunded. †

For Over Fifty Years

MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhœa. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Twenty five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other. †

DIGNITY OF OFFICE.

Why Evangeline's Brother Failed to Get the Dime He Sought.

The colonel was waiting for the post-office in a southern town to open in the morning and in the meantime talking a bit to the colored janitor, who was sweeping and dusting, when a negro boy, about 15 years old, came along and halted and beckoned the janitor to step aside. The old man looked at him sharply, but did not comply.

"Say, yo'!" called the young man.

There was no reply to this, and after a minute he called again.

"Boy! What yo' wants wid me?" sternly demanded the janitor.

"I wants to speak wid yo'."

"Who is yo'?"

"Yo' know who I is. Yo' is dud engaged to my sister Evangeline."

"Oh, yo' is her brudder Sam. Waal, what yo' want?"

"Kin yo' lend me 10 cents?"

"On what grounds, sah?"

"On de grounds dat yo' is gwine to be my brudder-in-law."

"Boy, doan yo' know nuffin tall 'bout philosophy?" shouted the janitor, as he raised his broom over his shoulder. "My bein engaged to yo'r sister Evangeline as a private citizen an my standin hea representin de United States guv'ment an talkin wid a gem'lan besides am too entirely different contestashuns. As yo'r fucher brudder-in-law I'd like to obleege yo', but as a representative of dis guv'ment I doan know yo' from Adam, an if yo' doan move on I'll have to smash yo' to bone dust!"—Chicago News.

Kind to Her.



"Do you consider it selfish for a man to take a vacation trip by himself?"

"Not at all, Simpson; think what a rest your wife will get."

Our Hapless Language.

Mrs. Average (reading)—Professor Garner is about to issue his work descriptive of the language of monkeys.

Mr. Average—I'm sorry to hear that. It won't be long before the scientists will be saying that all language is derived from monkeys, and then they'll be revising our dictionaires to give all words the true original monkey pronunciation.—New York Weekly.

An Insulting Pronoun.

The ritual of society, as women make it, is very exacting the world over, even in almshouses. The London Outlook reports a serious trouble among a set of workhouse officials.

The infirmary nurses, three in number, had demanded a separate sitting room and the delight of Sunday dinner therein, and the motron had sought to humble them by sending the cook to enjoy her Sunday dinner in their company. The brawny cook described what occurred as follows:

"Well, Nurse Blank, she come down and got inside the door. 'Four covers?' she says. 'Four? Who's the fourth?' 'Me,' says I. 'You!' she says, and with that she tosses her head and walks away."

Here cook drew a long breath, then continued, "If it hadn't 'a' been Sunday, gentlemen, I should have let her have it for calling me 'you!'"

THE NURSERY.

Don't place the cot in a position where the light will fall on the child's eyes, nor in a draft.

Don't hang curtains around the cot. Children need plenty of air, especially when sleeping.

Don't allow a child to sleep with an elder person. Its rest will be less disturbed and more beneficial alone.

Don't make up the baby's bed on the floor. The air is most pernicious near the floor and purest in the middle of the room

APPOINTMENTS

For Visitation by the Bishop of East Carolina.

November 26th, Sunday before Advent, M. P., Trinity, Chocowinity.

November 26th, Sunday before Advent, E. P., St. Peter's, Washington.

November 30th, Thursday, Thanksgiving, M. P., Zion Church, Beaufort county.

December 3d, Sunday, first in Advent, M. P., St. Martin's, Hamilton.

December 10th, Sunday, second in Advent, M. P., St. Peter's, Gates county.

December 10th, Sunday, second in Advent, E. P., St. Mary's, Gatesville.

December 11th, Monday, Com., St. Mary's, Gatesville.

December 13th, Wednesday, St. Barnabas', Murfreesboro.

December 17th, Sunday, third in Advent, M. P., St. Mark's, Roxobel.

December 17th, Sunday, third in Advent, E. P., Grace Church, Woodville.

December 21st, Thursday Fest, St. Thomas, St. Thomas', Windsor.

December 24th, Sunday, fourth in Advent, M. P., Advent, Williamston.

December 25th, Christmas, Grace, Plymouth.

December 31st, Sunday after Christmas, St. Thomas', Atkinson.

Holy communion at all morning services.

The children catechised when practicable.

The vestries will pleased be prepared to meet the bishop.

Offerings to be for Diocesan Missions.

— His Characteristic.—"Dewey believes in short engagements," remarked Mrs Snaggs. "Yes, the Spaniards who were at Manila last year can testify to that."—*Pittsburg Chronicle Telegraph.*

— "Well, that's enough to try the patience of Job," exclaimed the village minister, as he threw aside the local paper. "Why, what's the matter dear," asked the wife. "Last Sunday I preached from the text, 'Be ye therefore steadfast," answered the good man, and the printer makes it read 'Be ye there for breakfast."

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Victims to stomach, liver and kidney troubles as well as women, and all feel the results in loss of appetite, poisons in the blood, backache, nervousness, headache and tired, listless, run-down feeling. But there's no need to feel like that. Listen to J. W. Gardner, Idaville, Ind. He says: "Electric Bitters are just the thing for a man when he is all run down, and don't care whether he lives or dies. It did more to give me new strength and good appetite than anything I could take. I can now eat anything and have a new lease on life. Only 50 cents, at ROBT. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. Every bottle guaranteed. †

SUMMER ZEPHYRS.

Modern invention has not yet produced a device for subjecting a dog day to the cold storage process.—Exchange.

The city girl, who spent her vacation on a farm, imagined she had solved the meaning of "Pasteurized milk." She saw the cows feeding from the pasture. What could be simpler?—St. Louis Star.

Newport people are complaining that the weather has treated them badly. They are not much worse off than other people, to be sure, but why is not an exception made in favor of Newport?—Boston Transcript.

The annual swordfish, with more than its usual annual frequency, has been plunging its annual sword through the annual two inch planking of the annual schooner and just escaping transfixing the annual sailor, in accordance with its annual stupidity.—Boston Herald.

TRUST THRUSTS.

The coal trust won't fix the price of coal until it finds out how much money the people have. Then that will be the price.—St. Paul Dispatch.

Some will say, since the shoemakers and glovers are going to form trusts, the nation may be further bound hand and foot in these things.—Philadelphia Times.

Probably one reason why we do not hear of more new trusts these days is that there are so few things left on which the trustmakers can exercise their ingenuity.—Indianapolis News.

WHOLESALE PRICES CURRENT.

☞ The following quotations represent Wholesale Prices generally. In making up small orders higher prices have to be charged.

The quotations are always given as accurately as possible, but the STAR will not be responsible for any variations from the actual market price of the articles quoted.

BAGGING—			
2 ℔ Jute	6½	@	6¾
Standard	6¾	@	6¾
Burlaps	5	@	5½
WESTERN SMOKED—			
Hams ℔ ℔	9½	@	15
Sides ℔ ℔		@	6¾
Shoulders ℔ ℔		@	6
DRY SALTED—			
Sides ℔ ℔	5⅜	@	5¾
Shoulders ℔ ℔		@	5¾
BARRELS—Spirits Turpentine—			
Second-hand, each	1 25	@	1 35
New New York, each		@	1 40
New City, each		@	1 40
BEESWAX ℔ ℔		@	25
BRICKS—			
Wilmington ℔ M	5 00	@	7 00
Northern	9 00	@	14 00
BUTTER—			
North Carolina ℔ ℔	21	@	25
Northern	25	@	30
CORN MEAL—			
Per bushel, in sacks		@	47½
Virginia Meal		@	47½
COTTON TIES—℔ bundle	1 00	@	1 15
CANDLES—℔ ℔—			
Sperm	18	@	25
Adamantine	8	@	11
CHEESE—℔ ℔—			
Northern Factory	16	@	18
Dairy Cream		@	18
State	14	@	15
COFFEE—℔ ℔—			
Laguyra	12½	@	15
Rio	7	@	10
DOMESTICS—			
Sheeting, 4-4, ℔ yard		@	5½
Yarns, ℔ bunch of 5 ℔s		@	70
EGGS—℔ dozen	15	@	18
FISH—			
Mackerel, No. 1, ℔ barrel	22 00	@	30 00
Mackerel, No. 1, ℔ half-bbl.	11 00	@	15 00
Mackerel, No. 2, ℔ barrel	16 00	@	18 00
Mackerel, No. 2 ℔ half-bbl.	8 00	@	9 00
Mackerel, No. 3, ℔ barrel	13 00	@	14 00
Mullets, ℔ barrel	3 75	@	4 00
Mullets, ℔ pork barrel		@	3 50
N. C. Roe Herring, ℔ keg	3 00	@	3 25
Dry Cod, ℔ ℔	5	@	10
" Extra	4 35	@	4 50
FLOUR—℔ ℔—			
Low grade		@	3 00
Choice		@	3 50
Straight	3 90	@	4 00
First Patent	4 25	@	4 50
GLUE—℔ ℔	12½	@	15
GRAIN—℔ bushel—			
Corn, from store, bgs—White	52	@	52½
Car-load, in bgs—White		@	50
Oats, from store	38	@	40
Oats, Rust Proof		@	45
Cow Peas	60	@	75
HIDES—℔ ℔—			
Green salted		@	6½
Dry flint	10	@	12½
Dry salt		@	9
HAY ℔ 100 ℔s			
Clover Hay	85	@	90
Rice Straw	40	@	50
Eastern	80	@	85
Western	80	@	85
North River	80	@	85
HOOP IRON, ℔ ℔	3½	@	4
ILLUMINATING OILS—			
Diamond White, bbls ℔ gal		@	11½
Aladdin Security "		@	12½
Pratt's Astral "		@	13½
Carandine "		@	13
LARD, ℔ ℔—			
Northern	7	@	8
North Carolina	8	@	10
LIME, ℔ barrel	1 15	@	1 25
LUMBER (city sawed) ℔ M ft—			
Ship Stuff, resawed	18 00	@	20 00
Rough edge Plank	15 00	@	16 00
West India cargoes, according to quality	13 00	@	18 00
Dressed Flooring, seasoned	18 00	@	22 00
Scantling and Board, com'n	14 00	@	15 00
Common mill	5 00	@	6 50
Fair mill	6 50	@	8 00
Prime mill	8 50	@	10 00
Extra mill	10 00	@	10 50
MOLASSES ℔ gallon—			
Barbadoes, in hogshead		@	25
Barbadoes, in barrels		@	28
Porto Rico, in hogsheads	28	@	30
Porto Rico, in barrels	25	@	30
Sugar House, in hogsheads	12	@	14
Sugar House, in barrels	14	@	15
Syrup, in barrels	15	@	25
NAILS, ℔ keg, Cut, 60d basis	2 50	@	3 00
PORK, ℔ barrel—			
City Mess	10 00	@	10 50
Rump		@	9 50
Prime		@	9 00
ROPE, ℔ ℔	10	@	22
SALT, ℔ sack, Alum		@	1 25
Liverpool	83	@	85
American	73	@	85
On 125 ℔ Sacks		@	52½
SHINGLES, 7-inch, per M	5 00	@	6 50
Common	1 60	@	2 25
Cypress Saps	2 50	@	2 75
SUGAR, ℔ ℔—Standard Gran'd	5¼	@	5½
Standard A	4¾	@	5
White Extra C		@	4⅝
Extra C, Golden		@	4¼
C, Yellow		@	4⅛
SOAP, ℔ ℔—Northern	3¼	@	4
STAVES, ℔ M—W. O. barrel	6 00	@	14 00
R. O. Hogshead		@	10 00
TIMBER, ℔ M feet—Shipping	9 00	@	10 00
Mill, Prime	7 50	@	8 75
Mill, Fair	6 50	@	7 00
Common Mill	5 00	@	6 00
Inferior to ordinary	3 50	@	5 00
SHINGLES, N.C. Cypress sawed			
℔ M 6x24 heart	7 50	@	8 50
" Sap	5 00	@	6 00
5x20 Heart	3 00	@	3 50
" Sap	2 00	@	2 50
6x24 Heart	6 00	@	6 50
" Sap	5 00	@	5 50
TALLOW, ℔ ℔		@	6
WHISKEY, ℔ gallon, Northern	1 00	@	2 00
North Carolina	1 00	@	00
WOOL per ℔—Unwashed	14	@	15

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 23, 1899.

STEAMSHIPS.

Baron Innerdale (Br), 2,139 tons, McNeill, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

SCHOONERS.

Chas C Lister, 267 tons, Robinson, Geo Harriss, Son & Co.

Ira B Ellems, 263 tons, Marston, Geo Harriss, Son & Co.

D J Sawyer, 318 tons, Kelly, Geo Harriss, Son & Co.

Island City, 418 tons, Henderson, Geo Harriss, Son & Co.

Nellie Floyd, 414 tons, Neilson, Heide & Co.

Jno R Fell, 347 tons, Loveland, Geo Harriss, Son & Co.

BARQUES.

Antonio (Itl), 499 tons, Cafiero, Heide & Co.

River Thames (Nor) 454 tons, Quale, Heide & Co.

Johannee (Nor), 473 tons, Thorsen, H K Nash, for Paterson, Downing & Co.

BARGES.

Carrie L Tyler, 538 tons, Jones, Navassa Guano Co.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

W. & W. Railroad—152 bales cotton, 3 barrels tar.

W.C. & A. Railroad—560 bales cotton, 21 casks spirits turpentine, 45 barrels rosin, 64 barrels tar, 12 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & N. Railroad—95 bales cotton, 5 casks spirits turpentine, 12 barrels rosin.

A. & Y. Railroad—47 bales cotton, 5 casks spirits turpentine, 210 barrels rosin, 44 barrels tar.

Schr. Arygle— 14 bales cotton, 3 casks spirits turpentine, 60 barrels rosin, 18 barrels tar.

Schr. Leah— 5 barrels tar, 12 barrels crude turpentin.

Total—Cotton, 867 bales; spirits turpentine, 34 casks; rosin, 327 barrels; tar, 134 barrels; crude turpentine, 24 barrels.



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WILMINGTON MARKET.

STAR OFFICE, Nov. 22.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market quiet and steady at 47½ cents per gallon for machine made casks and 47 cents per gallon for country casks.

ROSIN — Market firm at $1.00 per bbl for strained and $1.05 for good strained.

TAR.—Market firm at $1.40 per bbl of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market quiet at $1.50 per barrel for hard, $2.80 for dip and —— for virgin.

Quotations same day last year.—Spirits turpentine steady at 36½@36c; rosin firm at $1.05@1.10; tar firm at $1.20; crude turpentine firm at $1.25@1.90, $1.90.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	34
Rosin	327
Tar	134
Crude turpentine	24

Receipts same day last year.—42 casks spirits turpentine, 260 bbls rosin, 35 bbls tar, 2 bbls crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market steady on a basis of 7¼c per pound for middling. Quotations:

Ordinary	4 13 16	cts ℔ ℔
Good ordinary	6 3 16	" "
Low middling	6 13-16	" "
Middling	7¼	
Good middling	7½	" "

Same day last year middling 4¾c.

Receipts—867 bales; same day last year, 2,730.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS — North Carolina — Prime, 45c. Extra prime, 60c per bushel of 28 pounds; fancy, 75c. Virginia—Prime, 45c; extra prime, 50c; fancy, 55c.

CORN—Firm; 52 to 52½ cents per bushel for white.

ROUGH RICE—Lowland (tidewater) 90c@$1.10; upland 65@80c. Quotations on a basis of 45 pounds to the bushel.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 10 to 11c per pound; shoulders, 7 to 8c; sides, 7 to 8c.

SHINGLES—Per thousand, five-inch, hearts and saps, $2.25 to 3.25; six-inch, $4.00 to 5.00; seven-inch, $5.50 to 6.50.

TIMBER—Market steady at $3.50 to 9.00 per M.

FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, November 22.—Money on call firm at 6@8 per cent., last offered at 6 per cent.; ruling rate was — per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5½@6 per cent. Sterling exchange weak; actual business in bankers' bills 485⅝@485¾ for demand and 481½@481¾ for sixty days. Posted rates 482½ and 487. Commercial bills 481½. Silver certificates 58¾@59½. Bar silver 59. Mexican dollars 47½. Government bonds strong. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds irregular. U. S. 2's, reg'd, 101½; U. S. 3's, reg'd, 109½; do. coupon, 109½; U.S. new 4's, reg'd, 132¼; do. coupon, 132½; U.S. old 4's, reg'd. 113½; do. coupon, 113½; U. S. 5's, registered, 111; do. coupon, 111; N. C. 6's 127; do. 4's, 104; Southern Railway 5's 108¾. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 54½; Chesapeake & Ohio 28⅞; Manhattan L 103½; N.Y. Central 137½; Reading 21; do. 1st preferred 60½; St. Paul 125⅜; do. preferred 173; Southern Railway 13½; do. preferred 57½; American Tobacco, 117⅞; do. preferred 143; People's Gas 113½; Sugar 157¼; do preferred 117½; T. C. & Iron 112⅞; U. S. Leather 22; do. preferred 81¼; Western Union 87¾.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, November 22.—Rosin quiet; strained common to good $1 30@1 35. Spirits turpentine steady at 51@51½c.

CHARLESTON, November 22.—Spirits turpentine firm at 47c; sales 47 casks; no receipts. Rosin firm; sales — barrels, prices unchanged.

SAVANNAH, November 22.—Spirits turpentine firm at 47¼c paid and bid; sales 1,172 casks; receipts 1,489 casks; exports 43 casks. Rosin firm and unchanged; sales 2,486 barrels; receipts 3,976 barrels; exports 225 barrels.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Trade conditions on the the cotton exchange did not change materially to day. The bulk of the small business done was easily traced to the professional element which gave attention for the most part to the winding up of straggling accounts preparatory to whatever new turn the market may take in the near future. The opening was barely steady with quotations one point lower to one higher. Prices did not rest long on this level as receipts piled up ominously; cables later were bearish and the investment public was disposed to part with a portion of its holdings. A decline of five points was apparent at the close of the first hour, with the market showing underlying weakness. Later, however, there was a marked change in the feeling in the pit and by noon most of the early loss had been wiped out. The change of sentiment sent them into positive firmness as the session wore on. With the steadily ruling came a moderate lull of buying orders from Wall Street and the South. Room bulls purchased in a small way. The market was finally steady with prices net two points higher to two lower.

NEW YORK, November 22.—Cotton quiet; middling uplands 7 9-16c.

Futures closed steady: November 7.25, December 7.26, January 7.30, February 7.32, March 7.35, April 7.37, May 7.39, June 7.40, July 7.41, August 7.38, September 7.05, October 6.93.

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 7 9-16c; middling gulf 7 13-16c; sales 2,800 bales.

Net receipts — bales; gross receipts 950 bales; stock 102,463 bales.

Total to-day—Net receipts 51,977 bales; exports to Great Britain 1,731 bales; stock 993,516 bales.

Consolidated—Net receipts 190,837 bales; exports to Great Britain 24,511 bales; exports to France 24,406 bales; exports to the Continent 52,519 bales.

Total since September 1st.—Net receipts 2,718,435 bales; exports to Great Britain 702,978 bales; exports to France 296,650 bales; exports to the Continent 750,435 bales.

Oct. 22.—Galveston, steady at 7 5-16, net receipts 18,724 bales; Norfolk, quiet at 7 5-16c, net receipts 1,185 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 7½c, net receipts — bales; Boston, quiet at 7 9 16c, net receipts 638 bales; Wilmington, steady at 7⅜c, net receipts 867 bales; Philadelphia, firm at 7 13-16c, net receipts 175 bales; Savannah, quiet at 7 1-16c, net receipts 6,486 bales; New Orleans, steady at 7 3 16c, net receipts 19,417 bales; Mobile, quiet at 7c, net receipts 936 bales; Memphis, steady at 7¼c, net receipts 4,178 bales; Augusta, steady at 7¼c, net receipts 795 bales; Charleston, nominal at 7¼, net receipts 567 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, November 22—Flour was less active but firm until toward the close, when the feeling became easier, following the decline in wheat. Wheat—Spot steady; No. 2 red 73¾c; options opened steady at ⅛c advance and further advanced ⅛c on cables and local covering, following disappointing Northwestern receipts. Later the feeling became very weak, owing to the apathy of exporters and an entire lack of speculative support. Closed weak at ¼c net decline; No. 2 red March closed 75⅝c; May closed 75⅞c; December closed 72¼c. Corn—Spot steady; No. 2 41⅜c; options opened steady at ⅛c advance and ruled firm on higher cables, turning weaker, however, on clearing weather in the corn belt and absence of sufficient export support. Closed weak at net unchanged prices to ⅛c decline; May closed 39⅞c; December closed —c. Oats—Spot firm; track white 31@34c; options nominal. Lard steady; Western steam closed $5 35c; November $5 32½, nominal; refined quiet. Pork steady Petroleum firm. Butter strong; Western creamery 22@26½c; State dairy 18@25c. Cheese firm; large October, finest 11½c. Rice steady. Potatoes firm; Jersey $1 00@1 35; New York $1 00@1 50; Long Island $1 25@1 75; Southern sweets $1 50; Jersey sweets $1 50@2 25 Cabbage dull; Long Island $2 00@3 50 per 100. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton by steam 29d. Cotton seed oil remained firm, with 28½c bid for December shipment of prime summer yellow and generally held for 29 cents spot. Meal continued very firm. Prime crude in tanks 20@21c; prime crude in barrels 25@26c; prime summer yellow 28½@29c; off summer yellow 27½@28c; butter grades 30½@31; prime winter yellow 31c; winter white 29@30c. Cotton seed oil meal $23 00@24 00. Coffee—Spot Rio firm; No. 7 invoice 6⅝; No. 7 jobbing 7½c. Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining 3 13 16c bid; centrifugal 96 test 4¼c bid; molasses sugar 3 9-16c. refined quiet.

CHICAGO, Nov. 22.—Wheat was firm early with Liverpool cables, but weakened on liberal receipts and report of a large shipment from Duluth to this port; closed ½@⅝c. under yesterday. Corn, influenced by heavy clearances and interruption of the movement, closed ⅛@¼c. higher for December, May unchanged. Oats closed unchanged and provisions 2½c. lower.

CHICAGO, Nov. 22.—Cash quotations: Flour steady. Wheat—No 2 spring—c; No. 3 spring 63¾@65c; No 2 red 67½@69c Corn—No. 2, 33@33½. Oats—No 2—c; No. 2 white 26½c; No. 3 white 25¼@25½c. Pork, per bbl. $7 70@9 60. Lard, per 100 lbs, $4 80@5 02½. Short rib sides, loose, $4 80@5 15. Dry salted shoulders, $5 37½@5 50. Short clear sides, boxed, $5 15@5 20. Whiskey—Distillers' finished goods, per gallon, $1 23½.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 December 67¼@67⅜, 67¼, 66⅞ 66⅞@67c; May 71¾@71⅝, 71⅝, 71@71½ 71½c. Corn—No. 2 December 32¾@32⅞, 33 33¼, 32¾@32⅞; January 32, 32@32¼, 31⅞, @31⅞@32c; May 33⅜@33¾, 33¼@33⅞, 33¼, 33¼. Oats—December 23¼, 23⅜, 23½@23¼, 23½@23¼; January 24¼@24½, 24½, 24⅜, 24⅜. Pork, per bbl—December $8 10, 8 12½, 8 02½, 8 05; January $9 57½, 9 57½, 9 47½, 9 50; May $9 65, 9 65, 9 57½, 9 62½. Lard, per 100 lbs—December $4 90, 4 90, 4 87½, 4 87½; January $5 12½, 5 15, 5 10, 5 10; May $5 30, 5 32½, 5 27½, 5 30. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—December $4 87½, 4 87½, 4 85, 4 85; January $4 97½, 4 97½, 4 85, 4 85; May $5 10, 5 12½, 5 07½, 5 10.

BALTIMORE, November 22.—Flour quiet and steady, unchanged. Wheat dull—spot and month 71@71½c; December 71½@71¾c; May 76c asked; Southern wheat by sample 67@72c. Corn dull—mixed spot and month 39⅜@39⅞c; December 39½@39¾c; November and December, new or old, 38¾@38⅞c; January 38¼@38½c; February 38¾@38⅞c; Southern white, new corn, 35@39½c. Oats firm—No. 2 white 31@32c.

FOREIGN MARKET

By Cable to the Morning Star

LIVERPOOL, November 22, 4 P. M.—Cotton—Spot good business done; prices unchanged; American middling 4⅛d. The sales of the day were 15,000 bales, of which 1,000 were for speculation and export, and included 14,200 American. Receipts 5,000 bales; no American.

Futures opened quiet and closed barely steady at the decline; American middling (l. m. c.)—November 4 @4 1 64d value; November and December 3 63 64@4d buyer; December and January 3 63-64d buyer; January and February 3 61 64d buyer; February and March 3 60 64@3 61 64d seller; March and April 3 60-64d seller; April and May 3 59 64@3 61-64d seller; May and June 3 59 64@3 60 64d seller; June and July 3 58 64@3 59 64d seller; July and August 3 58 64d seller; August and September 3 56 64 seller

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Italian barque Antonio, 499 tons, Cafiero, Point-a-Pitre, Heide & Co.

Norwegian barque River Thames, 454 tons, Quale, Bristol, Heide & Co.

Schr Chas C Lister, 267 tons, Robinson, New York, Geo Harriss, Son & Co.

Schr Ira B Ellems, 263 tons, Marston, New York, Geo Harriss, Son & Co.

CLEARED.

Br schooner Brothers, Kelly, Nassau, Geo Harriss, Son & Co.

EXPORTS.

FOREIGN.

NASSAU.—Br schooner Brothers, 320,900 shingles, valued at $1,637.04; 2 spars, valued at $80; 6,000 feet lumber, valued at $103.85—total valuation $1,820.89; cargo and vessel by J A Springer & Co.

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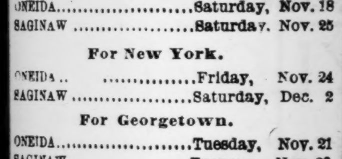
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Train 41—Leaves Portsmouth 9:20 A. M., arrives Weldon 11:43 A. M., Raleigh 3:36 P. M., Sanford 5:05 P. M., Hamlet 6:55 P. M., Wadesboro 8:10 P. M., Monroe 9:12 P. M., Charlotte 10:25 P. M., and Atlanta 5:20 A. M.

Train 38—Leaves Atlanta 9:50 P. M. Leaves Charlotte 5:00 A. M. Arrives Monroe 5:45 A. M., Wadesboro 6:51 A. M., Hamlet 7:43 A. M., Sanford 9:52 A. M., Raleigh 11:13 A. M., Weldon 2:50 P. M., Portsmouth 5:20 P. M.

Train 38—Leaves Hamlet 8:20 A. M. Arrives Laurinburg 8:46 A. M., Maxton 9.05 A. M., Pembroke 9:31 A. M., Lumberton 9:53 A. M., Wilmington 12.05 noon.

Train 403—Leaves Washington 5:00 P. M., Richmond 9:00 P. M., Portsmouth 8:45 P. M., Weldon 11:10 P. M. Arrives Raleigh 2:14 A. M., Sanford 3:33 A. M., Hamlet 5:07 A. M., Wadesboro 6:01 A. M., Monroe 6:53 A. M., Charlotte 8:00 A. M., Atlanta 2:50 P. M.

Train 403—Leaves Charlotte 8:10 A. M. Arrives Lincolnton 9:22 A. M., Shelby 10:10 A. M., Rutherfordton 11:25 A. M.

Train 402—Leaves Rutherfordton 4:40 P. M. Arrives Shelby 5:53 P. M. Lincolnton 6:56 P. M., Charlotte 8:20 P. M., Monroe 9:10 P. M.

Train 402—Leaves Atlanta 12:00 noon. Arrives Monroe 9:30 P. M., Wadesboro 10:30 P. M., Hamlet 11:10 P. M., Sanford 12:55 P. M., Raleigh 2:00 A. M., Weldon 4:55 A. M., Portsmouth 7:25 A. M., Richmond 8:15 A. M., Washington 12:41 noon.

Train 18—Leaves Hamlet 7:15 P. M. Arrives Gibson 8:10 P. M. Returning, leaves Gibson 6:50 A. M. Arrives Hamlet 7.40 A. M.

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Perhaps the Rambler roses hardly need more praise than they have received. Yet such commendation as the following, in The Rural New Yorker, will give pleasure to many who have already appreciated these plants and will excite the interest of those who have as yet let pass the opportunity of enjoying their rare charms of beauty and superior qualities of growth:

It is rarely the case that a new plant of any kind is not overpraised when introduced. The originator overpraises it (we may pardon him perhaps), and those who purchase and introduce the novelty overpraise it, often knowingly and without the least regard to its real merits. It rarely—very rarely—occurs that it is just about impossible to overpraise a newcomer. Such a newcomer is the Crimson Rambler rose. It is all that has been said of it, and we may now add another merit, that of exceeding hardiness. At The Rural grounds it would be fair to say that the plants were not harmed by the past winter, next to the severest known to the writer. Our oldest plant now covers a trellis about 6 feet high and 10 feet long, and in a few days it will be almost a solid mass of crimson flowers borne in pyramidal panicles of from 25 to 75 or even more. There is a peculiarity of these little beauties perhaps not noted before. The roses are at first a bright crimson; then, instead of changing to a washed out, tawdry color, they change to a bright pink, so that the plants are well divided between pink and crimson flowers.

We have said about all that could reasonably be said in praise of this rose in past volumes, and it is not our purpose to speak of it at length now except to compare it with its three sisters, the White, Pink and Yellow Ramblers. If we could have but one, it would be the eldest sister, the Crimson. But having seen them all, we want the quartet. Could we have but three, we would omit the Pink, because it is not a decided pink and soon fades to a white, not so pure as that of the White Rambler. The Yellow, too, is yellow only in the bud or partly opened bud. The catalogues tell us that these roses will withstand a temperature of 2 degrees below zero. Over 20 degrees below zero failed materially to harm the Rural set.

The foliage of all four is much the same; the habit is much the same. There are two important distinctions, however. The Crimson Rambler has no odor; the others have. And, second, the Crimson does not begin to bloom until the others have ceased to bloom. Thus the Crimson began to bloom this season June 10, a few days earlier than usual because of the scorching drought. The others began to bloom June 1. The catalogue name of the Pink Rambler is euphrosyne; that of the White, thalia; that of the Yellow, aglaia.

A Magnificent Native Fern.

The royal fern, Asmunda regalis, so called because it bears its fruit like a crown at the summit of its frond, is not easily recognized in all its various phases of growth. The New York Tribune, illustrating it, says this is the most conspicuously large of all our native ferns, sometimes growing to five feet in height and forming hedges impassable to boats on the borders of large ponds and lakes, where it seems to grow out of the shallow water in huge clumps. The frond is as thin and almost as delicate as a maidenhair. The royal fern is very smooth and of the same delicate hue of green as the maidenhair, and its young fronds, when they first appear in the spring, are a dull pale crimson, like the maidenhair and other plants. But this color soon changes to the permanent green of the mature plant.



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South Bound Daily No. 52.	MAIN LINE.	North Bound Daily No. 53.
6 50 p m	Ar......Wilmington......Lv	9 00 a m
3 50 p m	Lv......Fayetteville......Ar	12 10 a m
3 45 p m	Ar......Fayetteville......Lv	12 28 p m
2 30 p m	Lv......Sanford......Lv	1 43 p m
12 42 p m	Lv......Climax......Lv	3 44 p m
12 13 p m	Lv......Greensboro......Ar	4 15 p m
11 55 a m	Ar......Greensboro......Lv	4 25 p m
11 07 a m	Lv......Stokesdale......Lv	5 12 p m
10 36 a m	Lv......Walnut Cove......Lv	5 44 p m
10 09 a m	Lv......Rural Hall......Lv	6 13 p m
8 45 a m	Lv......Mt. Airy......Ar	7 35 p m
South Bound Daily No. 64.	**BENNETTSVILLE.**	**North Bound Daily No. 65.**
8 00 a m	Lv......Bennettsville......Ar	7 15 p m
9 07 a m	Lv......Maxton......Lv	6 15 p m
9 35 a m	Lv......Red Springs......Lv	5 35 p m
10 20 a m	Lv......Hope Mills......Lv	4 52 p m
10 40 a m	Ar......Fayetteville......Lv	4 33 p m
No. 46. South Bound Mixed Daily ex. Sunday.	**MADISON BRANCH.**	**No. 47. North Bound Mixed Daily ex. Sunday.**
5 30 p m	Ar......Ramseur......Lv	6 40 a m
3 50 p m	Lv......Climax......Ar	8 25 a m
2 40 p m	Lv......Greensboro......Ar	9 17 a m
2 30 p m	Ar......Greensboro......Lv	9 35 a m
1 15 p m	Lv......Stokesdale......Lv	11 07 a m
12 30 p m	Lv......Madison......Ar	11 55 a m

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DAILY 9.45 A. M. — No. 48—Passenger—Due Magnolia 11.19 A. M., Warsaw 11 33 A. M., Goldsboro 12.26 P. M., Wilson 1.16 P. M., Rocky Mount 1.53 P. M., Tarboro 2.31 P. M., Weldon 4.32 P. M., Petersburg 6.21 P. M., Richmond 7.20 P. M., Norfolk 5 55 P. M., Washington 11.30 P. M., Baltimore 1.00 A. M., Philadelphia 3.50 A. M., New York 6.53 A. M., †Boston 3.00 P. M.

DAILY 6.50 P. M. — No. 40—Passenger—Due Magnolia 8.20 P. M., Warsaw 8.33 P. M., Goldsboro 9.27 P. M., Wilson 10.20 P. M., †Tarboro 7.04 A. M., Rocky Mount 11.11 P. M., Weldon 1.00 A. M., †Norfolk 10.25 A. M., Petersburg 2.35 A. M., Richmond 3.23 A. M., Washington 7.01 A. M., Baltimore 8.23 A. M., Philadelphia 10.35 A. M., New York 1.03 P. M., Boston 9.00 P. M.

DAILY except Sunday 2.25 P. M. — No. 50—Passenger—Due Jacksonville 4.13 P. M., Newbern 5.40 P. M.

SOUTH BOUND.

DAILY 3.45 P. M. — No. 55—Passenger—Due Lake Waccamaw 4.56 P. M., Chadbourn 5.28 P. M., Marion 6.34 P. M., Florence 7.15 P. M., Sumter 8.57 P. M., Columbia 10.20 P. M., Denmark 6.12 A. M., Augusta 7.55 A. M., Macon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.35 P. M., Charleston 10.50 P. M., Savannah 1.50 A. M., Jacksonville 7.30 A. M., St. Augustine 10.30 A. M., Tampa 6.05 P. M.

WEST BOUND.

DAILY 9.00 A. M. — Passenger—Due Fayetteville 12 12 P. M., leaves Fayetteville 12.25 P. M., arrives Sanford 1 43 P. M.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY 5.50 P. M. — No. 49—Passenger—Leave Boston †1.03 P. M., New York *9.00 P. M., Philadelphia 12.05 A. M., Baltimore 2.50 A. M., Washington 4.30 A. M., Richmond 9.05 A. M., Petersburg 10.00 A. M., Norfolk 9.06 A. M., Weldon 11.50 A. M., Tarboro 12.21 P. M. Rocky Mount 12.52 P. M., Wilson 2.40 P. M., Goldsboro 3.21 P. M., Warsaw 4.12 P. M., Magnolia 4.25 P. M.

DAILY 9.40 A. M. — No. 41—Passenger—Leave Boston 12 night, New York 9.00 A. M., Philadelphia 11 33 A. M., Baltimore 1 46 P. M., Washington 3.06 P. M., Richmond 7.30 P. M., Petersburg 7.21 P. M., †Norfolk 2.20 P. M., Weldon 8.48 P. M., †Tarboro 6.00 P. M., Rocky Mount 5.40 A. M., Leave Wilson 6.20 A. M., Goldsboro 7.01 A. M., Warsaw 7.56 A. M., Magnolia 8.09 A. M.

DAILY except Sunday 12.15 P. M. — No. 51—Passenger—Leave Newbern 9.00 A. M., Jacksonville 10.25 A. M.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY 1.15 P. M. — No. 54—Passenger—Leave Tampa 8.10 A. M., Sanford 3.07 P. M., Jacksonville 8.00 P. M., Savannah 1.45 A. M., Charleston 6.33 A. M., Atlanta 7.50 A. M., Macon 9.00 A. M., Augusta 2.30 P. M., Denmark 4.17 P. M., Columbia 6.40 A. M., Sumter 8.10 P. M., Florence 9.50 A. M., Marion 10.20 A. M., Chadbourn 11.34 A. M., Lake Waccamaw 12.08 A. M.

EAST BOUND.

DAILY 6.40 A. M. — Passenger—Leave Sanford 2.30 P. M., arrive Fayetteville 3.41 P. M., leave Fayetteville 3.46 P. M.

†Daily except Sunday.

Wilmington and Weldon Railroad, Bennettsville Branch—Train leaves Bennettsville 8.15 A. M. Maxton 9.20 A. M., Red Springs 9 53 A. M., Hope Mills 10.42 A. M., arrive Fayetteville 10.55 A. M. Returning leaves Fayetteville 4 40 P. M., Hope Mills 4.55 P. M., Red Springs 5.35 P. M., Maxton 6.15 P. M., arrives Bennettsville 7.15 P. M.

Connections at Fayetteville with No. 78, at Maxton with the Carolina Central Railroad, at Red Springs with the Red Springs and Bowmore Railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line and Southern Railway, at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad.

Train between Rocky Mount and Richmond leave Rocky Mount 7.00 A. M., arrive Weldon 8 06 A. M., arrive Petersburg 10 A. M., arrive Richmond 11.05 A. M.

Trains on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 3.55 P. M., Halifax 4.15 P. M.; arrive Scotland Neck 5.08 P. M., Greenville 6.57 P. M., Kinston 7.55 P. M. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.50 A. M., Greenville 8.52 A. M.; arriving Halifax at 11.18 A. m., Weldon 11.33 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.10 A. M. and 2.30 P. M.; arrive Parmele 9.10 A. M. and 4.00 P. M.; returning leaves Parmele 9.35 A. M. and 6.30 P. M.; arrives Washington 11.00 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 5.30 P. M.; Sunday, 4.15 P. M.; arrives Plymouth 7.40 P. M. and 6.10 P. M. Returning, leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7 50 A. M. and Sunday 9.00 A. M.; arrive Tarboro 10.05 A. M. and 11.00 A. M.

Trains leave Goldsboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 7.05 A. M.; arrives Smithfield, N. C., 8.10 A. M. Returning leaves Smithfield 9.00 A. M.; arrives Goldsboro 10.25 A. M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 9.30 A. M., 3.40 P. M.; arrives Nashville 10.10 A. M., 4.03 P. M., Spring Hope 10.40 A. M., 4.55 P. M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 11.00 A. M., 4.55 P. M., Nashville 11.22 A. M.; 5.25 P. M., arrives at Rocky Mount 11.45 A. M., 6.00 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leave Warsaw for Clinton, daily except Sunday, at 11.40 A. M. and 4.15 P. M. Returning, leave Clinton at 7.00 A. M. and 2.50 P. M.

Train leaves Pee Dee 10.02 A. M., arrive Latta 10.24 A. M., Dillon 10.36 A. M., Rowland 10.54 A. M. Returning, leaves Rowland 6.00 P. M.; arrives Dillon 6.20 P. M., Latta 6.35 P. M., Pee Dee 7.00 P. M., daily.

Trains on Conway Branch leave Boardman at 3.00 P. M., Chadbourn 5.35 P. M.; arrive Conway 7.40 P. M.; leave Conway 8.30 A. M., Chadbourn 11.20 A. M.; arrive Boardman 12.25 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Sumter 5.13 P. M., Manning 5.41 P. M.; arrive Lane's 6.17 P. M.; leave Lane's 8.34 A. M., Manning 9.09 A. M.; arrive Sumter 9.40 A. M. Daily.

Georgetown and Western Railroad leave Lane's 9.30 A. M., 7.40 P. M.; arrive Georgetown 12.00 M., 9.00 P. M.; leave Georgetown 7.00 A. M., 3.30 P. M.; arrive Lane's 8.25 A. M.; 5.55 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Florence daily except Sunday at 9.50 A. M.; arrive Darlington 10.15 A. M., Hartsville 9.15 P. M., Cheraw 11.30 A. M., Wadesboro 12.35 P. M.; leave Florence daily except Sunday at 7.55 P. M.; arrive Darlington 8.20 P. M., Bennettsville 9.17 P. M., Gibson 10.20 P. M. Leave Florence Sunday only 9.30 A. M., arrive Darlington 10.05 A. M.

Leave Gibson daily except Sunday at 6.00 A. M. Bennettsville 7.00 A. M.; arrive Darlington 8.00 A. M. Leave Darlington 8.50 A. M.; arrive Florence 9.15 A. M. Leave Wadesboro daily except Sunday 4.10 P. M., Cheraw 5.15 P. M., Hartsville 7.00 A. M., Darlington 6.29 P. M.; arrive Florence 7.00 P. M. Leave Darlington Sunday only at 8.50 A. M., arrive Florence 9.15 A. M.

Wilson and Fayetteville Branch leave Wilson 1.58 P. M., 10.25 P. M., arrive Selma 2.48 P. M., 11.10 P. M., Smithfield 3.02 P. M., Dunn 3.40 P. M., Fayetteville 4.25 P. M., 1.21 5A. M., Rowland 6.00 P. M. returning leave Rowland 10.54 A. M., Fayetteville 12.20 P. M., 9.45 P. M., Dunn 1.04 P. M., Smithfield 1.43 P. M. Selma 1.50 P. M., 10.52 P. M., arrive Wilson 2.35 P. M., 11.31 A. M.

Trains leave Sumter 4.25 A. M., Creston 5.19 A. M., arrive Denmark 6.12 A. M. Returning, leave Denmark 4.17 P. M., Creston 5.15 P. M., Sumter 6.03 P. M. Daily.

Trains leave Creston 5.45 A. M., arrives Pregnalls 9.15 A. M. Returning leaves Pregnalls 10.00 A. M., arrives Creston 3.50 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Bishopville Branch trains leave Elliott 10.35 A. M., and arrive Lucknow 12.15 P. M. Returning, leave Lucknow 2.10 P. M., arrive Elliotts 3.50 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

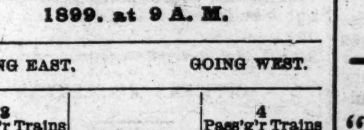
†Daily except Sunday. *Sunday only.

H. M. EMERSON, Gen'l Passenger Agent.
J. R. KENLY, Gen'l Manager.
T. M. EMERSON, Traffic Manager.

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Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad

Time Table No. 9.



To Take Effect Tuesday, Aug. 8, 1899, at 9 A. M.

GOING EAST. GOING WEST.

3 Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	3 Pass'g'r Trains Leave	STATIONS.	4 Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	4 Pass'g'r Trains Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
....	3 40	Goldsboro........	11 05	
....	4 32	Kinston........	10 12	
5 40	5 50	Newbern........	8 37	9 00
7 02	7 07	Morehead City........	7 22	7 27
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.35 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train, arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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New line of Golf Plaids.

for Skirts will be opened on Wednesday. Largest assortment of Black Crapons in the city to select from.

Underwear! Underwear!

Large assortment of Gent's Ladies' and Children's in

Wool, Half Wool and Cotton.

See us before you purchase.

CARPETS & Mattings.

We are opening daily a new line of Carpets and Mattings. We ask you no advance in prices. Our stock of Draperies is the most complete of any in the State.

Largest Window Shade

Department in the State.

No advance in price:

6 feet Opaque Shade 25c
7 " " " 35c
9 " " " 50c

All kinds of Shades made to order.

The C. W. Polvogt Co.

No. 9 North Front Street.

Agents for Standard Patterns and W. B. Corsets. nov 12 tf



Thanksgiving Goodies

that make the mouth water with visions of a table laden with a brown and toothsome turkey with cranberry sauce and white, crisp sprays of celery, pies made from our delicious things, Mince Meat or Canned Fruits, Plum Pudding, Dates, Layer Figs, Cluster Raisins, Cleaned Currants, Nuts, exquisite Coffee, and a choice after dinner Cigar; a fresh lot of all of which we have just received. Let us fill your order. We have the choicest.

THE KING GROCERY CO.,
B F. KING Manager.

Phone 387. Fourth Street Bridge.
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"A Penny Saved Is a Penny Earned."

WE CAN SAVE YOU DOLLARS.

After an inspection of our line of Trimmed and Untrimmed

Hats, Dress Goods, Cloaks, Capes, Corsets, Hosiery, Toys and Novelties,

You will agree that our prices are lower for the values given than those quoted by any other house.

Compare them and be convinced.

Taylor's Bazaar, 118 Market street.

Visit our New Toy Department at 108 Market street.

Goods selected now put away until called for, or sent home when desired. nov 12

The Grand Masonic Fair Opens

ITS DOORS TO MANY THOUSAND

Guests, and we are expecting quite a big crowd of people to visit our city, as the entertainment is booked to be one of the grandest of its kind ever held in the borders of our State. The railroad companies have loaned their helping hands by chipping into the fair; and I have made up my mind not to come up lacking.

I have made big preparations to supply the trade with bargains in Dress Goods, Clothing, Caps and Hats.

We have just received a big lot of Ladies' Jackets—all new cuts. Wool Goods in Black only, at $2.50 each; better, half Silk lined, at $4.00; all Silk lined, made up in Tan, Black, Blue and Gray, from $5 00 to $10.00; a big assortment to select from.

We have all kinds of Capes. A good Cape, Braid trimmed Collar, at 38c; double Cape at .75c and 98c. Fine Wool Capes from $1.00 to $4.50 and $6 00. Velvet Capes, Braid and Fur trimmed, at $1.39. Silk Plush Capes, Fur trimmed, at $2.25, $3.25, $3 75 and $4.80.

We have just received a big assortment of new Hats and Capes of every kind. We want to show the ladies that have been sending us their orders for trimmed Hats, and all others to come and see our Hat Department.

We employ the best help there is to be had. Our Milliners have visited all the big Northern cities, and are up to date in style; and I lead in low prices. All ladies are invited to visit our large store in every department.

I would ask you to take the measure of your room for a new Carpet, Matting or an Oil Cloth. I can sell you a Carpet at any price from a very Heavy Hemp one yard wide dark colored Carpet 18c; Cotton Ingrain Carpet at 20c and 25c; heavy two ply Carpet at 29c and 35c.

We carry all Wool Carpet at 38c. Good Brussels, good bright colors, at 45c, 50c and 55c.

Velvet—beautiful patterns—at 65c and $1.00 per yard.

I have the Cocoa Carpet at 15c, 33c and 45c.

Matting, all grades and prices.

Oil Cloth from 22½c, 25c and 30c.

Linoleum at 40c and 45c per square yard.

Window Shades at 10c, 25c, 35c and 50c.

I have just received a big lot of beautiful new Dress Goods of the latest styles in Venetian and Convert Cloth Plaids and Suitings.

I have all the new things in Silks from the cheapest to the best.

I want a large crowd to visit the Fair, and I want every one to come and see my store.

We have a large assortment of Foreign and Domestic Goods to show, and can save you money on your Dry Goods purchases.

You Will Find Us on Front Street Near the Postoffice, Opposite The Orton Hotel.

GEO. O. GAYLORD, PROP.

Of Wilmington's Big Racket Store.

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That $1.98 Rattan Rocker

ON SALE ONE MORE WEEK.

The U. S. don't make one better for the price. Your loss if you fail to get one.

Bed Room Suits in profusion.

Handsome line Ladies' Desks just opened.

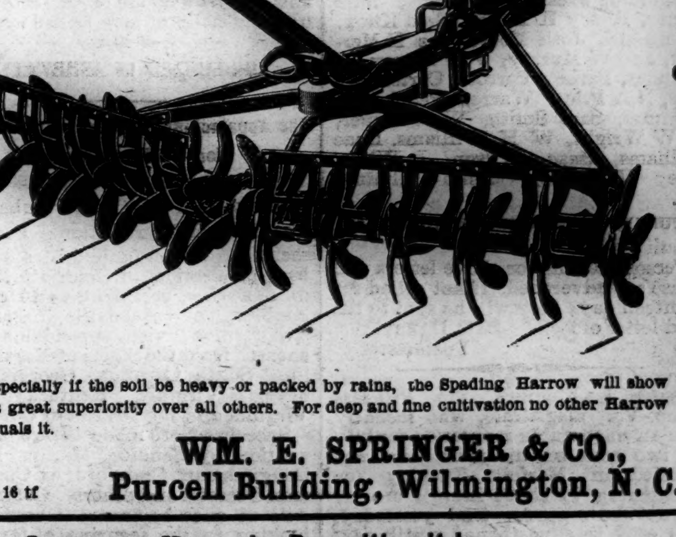
See us for anything in the Furniture line.

THE SNEED-FULLER COMPANY.

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THE MORGAN PATENT SPADING HARROW.

FOR FALL PLOWING



Guaranteed to give Satisfaction.

Especially if the soil be heavy or packed by rains, the Spading Harrow will show its great superiority over all others. For deep and fine cultivation no other Harrow equals it.

WM. E. SPRINGER & CO.,
Purcell Building, Wilmington, N. C.

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Save your Money by Depositing it in

"THE WILMINGTON SAVINGS & TRUST CO."

The strongest Savings Bank in North Carolina. We will pay you 4 per cent. a year, compounded quarterly, on any amount over $5.00

RESULTS, if you deposit in "The Wilmington Savings & Trust Co.:"

$ 1	a week for	5 years	you will have	$ 286
$ 2	"	"	"	$ 5 2
$ 3	"	"	"	$ 858
$ 4	"	"	"	$1144
$ 5	"	"	"	$1430
$10	"	"	"	$2860
$15	"	"	"	$4290
$ 1	for	10 years	"	$ 637
$ 2	"	"	"	$1274
$ 3	"	"	"	$1911
$ 4	"	"	"	$2548
$ 5	"	"	"	$3185
$10	"	"	"	$6370
$15	"	"	"	$9555

J. W. NORWOOD, PRESIDENT. H. WALTERS, VICE-PRESIDENT.
JAS. S. WORTH, ACTING CASHIER.

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Becoming a Mother

Is an ordeal which all women approach with indescribable fear, for nothing can compare with the horrors of child-birth. The thought of the suffering and danger in store for her, robs the expectant mother of all pleasant anticipation of the coming event, and casts over her a shadow of gloom that cannot be shaken off. Thousands of women have found that the use of MOTHER'S FRIEND during pregnancy robs confinement of all pain and danger, and insures safety to mother and child. This scientific liniment is a godsend to all women at the time of their most critical ordeal. Not only does MOTHER'S FRIEND carry woman safely through the perils of child-birth, but its use gently prepares the system for the coming event, prevents "morning sickness," and other discomforts of this period. Sold by all druggists at $1.00 per bottle. Send for free booklet to THE BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO., Atlanta, Georgia.

Mother's Friend

The Morning Star.
WILMINGTON, N. C.
THURSDAY MORNING, Nov. 23.

NO FURTHER TROUBLE AT RIO GRANDE CITY.

The War Department Says It Was Only a Drunken Border Row and Has Been Exaggerated.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

AUSTIN, TEXAS, November 22.—GovernorSayers this morning received a telegram from Rio Grande City, from the sheriff, stating that all was quiet to-day between the citizens and negro soldiers and no further trouble is expected. The Governor also received the following telegram from Washington:

"*Washington, November 21.*—Hon. Joseph D Sayers, Governor, Austin, Texas.—Your dispatch of 21st is received. Commanding officer of the department has already sent Lieutenant Colonel Roberts, an experienced and judicious officer, to Fort Ringgold and Captain Day from Fort Brown with a force to replace present force. I have no intelligible information of the cause of the trouble, but every effort will be made by United States officers to prevent its continuance. I suggest that you inform citizens of this and counsel moderation. Officer now in command there has been forbidden to fire a shot unless absolutely necessary in self defence.

"ELIHU ROOT, Secretary of War."

A Drunken Border Row.

WASHINGTON, November 22.—At the War Department it is stated that the information received from the Department of Texas is to the effect that the trouble at Fort Ringgold was nothing more than a drunken border row, and the belief is expressed that it has been exaggerated as to its proportions. The Secretary of War has sent a dispatch to Gov. Sayers, in reply to the demand for the removal of the troops, saying that the department had already taken measures to preserve the peace and restore order. It is not now the present intention of the War Department to remove the troops from Ringgold, as it is believed that the difficulties can be corrected without any such action. It is quite likely that some more experienced officer will be sent to take command at Ringgold.

The War Department received the following telegram later in the day:

"*Austin, Texas, November 22.*—Secretary of War, Washington: Telegram received. Have just received telegram from sheriff, who says he has had a conference with commanding officer at Ringgold, and that everything is quiet. He is quite certain that there will be no further trouble.

"JOSEPH B. SAYERS,
"Governor of Texas."

GEORGIA'S PROHIBITION BILL.

The Anti-Liquor Law Passed the Lower House, But is Not Likely to Pass the Senate.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ATLANTA, GA., November 22.—The Willingham bill, providing for prohibition in Georgia, was passed by the lower house of the General Assembly to day. The vote stood, ayes 93; nays 65. The measure received a majority of but five votes—eighty-eight being the two thirds vote. Although the bill has passed this stage, it is not assured that it will become a law. It is known that of the 44 members constituting the State Senate, 22 oppose the measure and this means its defeat. However, the friends of the bill hope by amendments to secure its passage through the upper house, although those opposed to the measure claim that these changes in its working will virtually nullify it, Governor Candler has not committed himself in regard to the bill.

Great pressure was brought to bear from every section of the State in behalf of and against the bill, and its passage is considered a signal victory for the advocates of prohibition.

The bill prohibits the manufacture, sale, keeping for sale, the giving away or furnishing to induce trade or for any other valuable consideration, except physicians furnishing to patients under treatment by them, or the furnishing at any public place, of intoxicating liquors, fermented or distilled. All saloons will be closed, breweries shut down, and no club or other private organization will be permitted to keep beverages for members. It will not, however, interfere with banquets or private entertainments.

LIST OF LETTERS.

Remaining Uncalled For in the Wilmington Postoffice November 22d, 1899.

WOMEN'S LIST.

Mary Bannerman, Jonah Dixon, N A Durham, Julia Hobbs, Henrietta Hanston, Edie Laurence, Helen Moseley, J Miller, Violet Miller, Ludix Sey, Leonora Strange, Maggie St. George, Beth E Taylor, Maggie, Lulu Whiters, Ada Jane Wood.

MEN'S LIST.

Joe Alexander, Izar Brown, C T Bryant, James Batson, Noah Boney, Richard Bryant, Thos F Bell, W O Burgin, J W Cooper, Cardes & Leak, Larnce Clarkson, Owen Chatti, R N Carney, Enoch Hansley, Frank Herring, S B Davis, Walter Frazer, W C Fitzgerald, Jackson M Harby, Jesse James, Henry H Kelley, Fred Knox, H Murrill, Josh Moore, Jas H Merrick, Jno W Murray, J W Massey, A Purpont, Barney Parrott, Carter Pigford, N A Price, Warren Peoples, G C Sutton, Sam Smith, W A Turner, W W Wright, W H Williams, Isaac Williams, Isaac Wilson, I Willis, Elcey Williamson, Meslin Wilmington.

RETURNED FROM DEAD LETTER OFFICE.

Lulia Davis.

Persons calling for above letters will please say advertised. If not called for in fifteen days they will be sent to the dead letter office. M. C. DARBY, Postmaster.

Oscar J. Fleming, the Princess Anne, Va., magistrate, who recently won an unenviable reputation for killing two men on his farm, and was arrested in Norfolk Tuesday for threatening to shoot into a crowd, did not show up for trial yesterday. The case was postponed until next Tuesday.

AN IMPORTANT DIFFERENCE.

To make it apparent to thousands, who think themselves ill, that they are not afflicted with any disease, but that the system simply needs cleansing, is to bring comfort home to their hearts, as a costive condition is easily cured by using Syrup of Figs. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, and sold by all druggists. †

Read the advertisement of the East Carolina Real Estate Agency in this issue of the STAR. It offers for sale some very valuable farms. †

BOERS' REPORTS OF OPERATIONS.

Heavy Fighting Monday Afternoon Outside of the Town of Mafeking.

BRITISH SORTIES REPULSED.

Official Return of Casualties Since Outbreak of War—Movements at Ladysmith—Joubert Cutting Off Retreat of British Forces.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

PRETORIA, November 21.—General Snyman, who is outside of Mafeking, reports heavy fighting Monday afternoon. The British briskly fired on the French cannon and Boer forts. The Boers replied, bombarding the British forts with good effect. The loss of the British is unknown. One Boer was wounded.

The official returns of the Transvaal casualties since the outbreak of the war show that ninety men have been killed and 200 wounded, of whom a number have recovered and returned to the front.

Newspaper reports from Cape Colony say a general rising of the Dutch farmers is imminent in Natal and that the colonial Boers in those districts which have been proclaimed republican territory, have already joined the Boer forces.

Movemements Near Ladysmith.

PRETORIA, Nov. 21.—The following dispatch has been received from the Boer headquarters near Ladysmith:

"The field cornets of the Pretoria commando reported that British gun carriages and some horsemen had been heard moving last night in Ladysmith. Our out posts observed the British endeavoring to sortie towards Lombard's Kop and Bulwama hill, where our Maxims opened fire. The range was too great and, therefore our artillery began shooting which drove the British back. About daybreak the British batteries fired upon our positions. Three burghers were wounded.

"It is supposed that the object of the sorties was to relieve the Estcourt force, who had sent an urgent message to Ladysmith requesting aid. The burghers captured the messenger, but finally allowed him to proceed."

It is reported that the Natal police have captured a number of Transvaal dispatch riders.

In his latest report Gen. Joubert says: "I am cutting off the retreat of the Estcourt troops to Pietermaritzburg and driving them back on the Tugela river."

"It is also reported that the Boer commander, with the forces near Ladysmith has "comprehensively surveyed different points from which the fall of Ladysmith can be insured."

DURBAN, Nov. 22.—A dispatch from Mooi river says the telegraph line was cut Tuesday evening near Highlands station. The dispatch adds that the railroad station is in the possession of a large force of Boers, encamped near Mitcheson's cutting. A train bound to Estcourt returned. It only got a mile and a half northward of the Highlands station.

The Natal Stud Company's farm has been raided and three hundred blooded horses, valued at £15,000, have been captured.

LONDON, November 22.—A dispatch to the *Daily News* from Nottingham Road, Natal, dated Tuesday, says the Boers have arrived near there.

The *Daily Mail* publishes a dispatch from Naauwpoort, dated Wednesday, which says that a large force, under General Methuen, has crossed the Orange river and is advancing to the relief of Kimberley.

DURBAN, November 22.—Owing to the proximity of the Boers to Pietermaritzburg, it has been found necessary to alter the defences of Durban.

Estcourt is still silent. All accounts point conclusively to a determined rush of the Boers toward Pietermaritzburg with a very large force. Seven thousand men with guns, are reported 25 miles from Howick. They are said to be under the personal command of General Joubert.

SENATOR CULLOM'S VIEWS.

Says House of Representatives Will Refuse to Seat Roberts of Utah.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ATLANTA, GA., November 22.—A special from Chattanooga, Tenn., says: United States Senator Shelby M. Cullom, of Illinois, arrived here to-day from Washington, accompanied by United States Pension Commissioner H. Clay Evans. They came to attend the dedication of the Illinois monuments.

Senator Cullom gave out an interview touching upon many important national subjects. He stated that there was no doubt that the House of Representatives would refuse to seat Congressman Roberts, of Utah. Speaking of the Nicaragua Canal question, he stated that Congress would undoubtedly build this, but that it had not been decided whether this would be ordered at the coming session. He said Congress would make a declaration in favor of the vigorous prosecution of the war for the supremacy of the United States over the Philippine islands. Mr. Cullom paid a beautiful tribute to Vice President Hobart, saying he was the best presiding officer the Senate has had in thirty years, and that he was one of the most popular and brilliant men he had ever met.

ORGANIZED IN ASHEVILLE.

The Appalachian National Park Association—Officers Elected.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., November 22.—The Appalachian National Park Association was organized here to-night by the election of George S. Powell, of Asheville, president, and Dr. C. P. Ambler, of Asheville, secretary. Twenty-five vice presidents were chosen from the States of North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Tennessee, Virginia, Kentucky, West Virginia and the District of Columbia.

Speeches were made before the convention by Senator Marion Butler, Congressman Crawford, ex-Congressman Pearson and others. Committees will at once be named to begin work looking to the securing of favorable action for the establishment of a national park in the mountains of Western North Carolina by Congress at its coming session. There was a large and enthusiastic attendance upon the convention.

Red Hot From the Gun

Was the ball that hit G. B. Steadman, of Newark, Mich., in the Civil War. It caused horrible Ulcers that no treatment helped for twenty years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him. Cures Cuts, Bruises, Burns, Boils, Felons, Corns, and Skin Eruptions. Best Pile cure on earth. 25c a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by ROBT. R. BELLAMY, druggist. †

A RECEIVER APPOINTED

For the State University Railroad—A Branch Line of the Southern Railway Company.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

RALEIGH, N. C., November 22.—At Durham to-day Judge Brown appointed a receiver for the State University railroad, a branch line of the Southern railway, running from University station to Chapel Hill. This receivership is made on petition of L. J. Andrews, administrator of C. M. Andrews, who died in January, 1898, from injuries received on the University railroad. On account of these injuries Andrews' administrator brought suit for damages and secured a verdict for $2,500. This judgment the railroad refused to satisfy, though often demanded to do so, and to secure its payment the appointment of a receiver was asked.

The court appointed Paul C. Graham, of Durham, as receiver, and ordered the defendant railroad to show cause before the resident judge at Greensboro, N. C., on November 25th, 1899, at noon, why the receivership shall not be continued until the hearing of this cause.

This road was chartered by the Legislature in 1868 and was later built by the Richmond and Danville Rail road Company. When that company was succeeded by the Southern, the road became the property of the last named corporation. The Southern is now the owner of practically all the stock of this road, but the road has been operated at a loss, and the Southern has recently secured a judgment against the company for $50,000. To satisfy this judgment, the road is advertised for sale on December fourth under execution by the sheriff of Orange county.

CONSOLIDATION CONSUMMATED.

Norfolk's Lighting Plants and Railways in Control of a Syndicate.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NORFOLK, VA., November 22.—The long contemplated deal by which the Virginia Electric Company, Norfolk Street Railroad Company and the Ocean View Railway Company were consolidated was consummated today. The combine represents an actual capital of $1,650,000. R. Lancaster Williams, of Richmond, president; C. Brooks Johnston, mayor of Norfolk, vice president, and Peter Wright, of New Jersey, general manager, of the Norfolk Railway and Light Company, as the combined properties will hereafter be known.

The Berkley Electric Light plant, which is owned by the Williams syndicate, and the large power plants at Huntersville and Oakdale are to be transferred to this city, where preparations are in progress for the establishment of a plant with a capacity for supplying the entire section with electric power and lights. This syndicate owns the Norfolk gas plant.

Plans are being matured for extending the holdings and operations of the syndicate, which is composed of Norfolk, Richmond, Baltimore and New York capitalists. No one in authority to speak will give out anything at present.

THE KENTUCKY ELECTION.

County Board Convened—Motion to Throw Out the Vote of Louisville.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

LOUISVILLE, Nov. 22.—The county election board convened to day to hear argument on the motion to throw out the vote of the whole city of Louisville and to revise footings in the official count for Jefferson county. The vote for Governor was announced as follows: Taylor 18,445; Goebel 15,023; Brown 2,672. Taylor's plurality 3,422.

The motion to throw out the vote of Louisville was then taken up. Judge Hargis was permitted to read affidavits from Mayor Weaver, Chairman Lyons, of the board of safety; Chief of Police Nasger, Sheriff Henry Bell, and others, relative to the presence of the militia in the city on the day of the election. These affidavits state that the presence of the militia in this city was uncalled for, and that the municipal authorities were amply able to cope with the situation on that day.

The board then adjourned until to-morrow, when arguments will be heard.

LEE AND WHEELER.

Meeting of Women in Chicago Who Wish to Honor the Two Generals.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, November 22.—A meeting of women who wish to honor Major Generals Jos. Wheeler and Fitzhugh Lee was held last evening in the parlors of the Auditorium hotel. Those interested in the project have organized themselves into an association called "the Lee and Wheeler movement" and have elected as president Mrs. Anne Marie de Breck, and as secretary Mrs. Louis Abbott. Letters have been sent out to the members of Congress asking them to use their influence in getting appointments for Wheeler and Fitzhugh Lee as Major Generals in the regular army.

It is the intention to raise a sufficient fund with which to purchase a gift sword for each of the officers named.

STEAMSHIP ON FIRE.

At New York From New Orleans—The Hudson of the Cromwell Line.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—The Cromwell Line steamship Hudson arrived from New Orleans this morning on fire. The steamer carried a cargo of molasses and cotton, and was taken in tow by tugs to her pier in North river. For several hours an effort was made to get the cargo out and was partially successful, the cargo from the forward holds being removed. The fire bec ome so fierce, however, that a couple of tugs made fast to the Hudson and towed her into midstream and thence to the New Jersey flats where she was beached.

It is not known to what extent the vessels and cargo have been damaged but is believed that the fire is a serious one.

OFFICERS RE-ELECTED.

Stockholders' Meeting of the R. F. and P. Railroad Company.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

RICHMOND, November 22.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac, and Richmond and Petersburg railroad, a connecting corporation, was held at the offices of the company here this morning. Routine business alone was considered, and reports presented were adopted. The old officers of both roads were re-elected.

IN HOT PURSUIT OF AGUINALDO.

General Young's Cavalry Chasing the Filipino Leader and His Followers.

FLYING TO THE MOUNTAINS.

A Fight With the Insurgent Chief's Rear Guard at Aringay—One Wounded. The Insurgent Loss Unknown. Trouble in Sulu Islands.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

MANILA, November 23.—General Young reports that Aguinaldo, with a party of 200, including some women and a few carts, passed Aringay, on the coast between San Fabian and San Fernado, in the province of Union, on Friday, November 17th. The general impression is that Aguinaldo probably intended to strike inland through the Binqua mountains, toward Bayombong, in the province of Nueva Viscaya. General Young, with cavalry and Macabebes, is pursuing the Filipino leader, part of the American force taking the direction of San Fernado. In a fight with Aguinaldo's rear guard at Aringay, one Macabebe was wounded and the insurgents retreated. Their loss is unknown.

Trouble in the Sulu Islands.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—Latest mail advices from Manila indicate the existence of serious trouble among the Sulu islanders, growing out of the killing by some of the followers of the sultan of nine of the adherents of Dato Jakanine, the most powerful and influential sub-chief of the archipelago. The men were fishermen and were killed by the sultan's soldiers because they resisted the attempt of the latter to seize upon some fish which they had caught. The chief has sworn to be avenged and that he would commence war upon the sultan.

From the nature of the Moros, the residents of Jolo express the fear that the war cannot be prevented.

MANILA, November 23.—News from the pursuit of Aguinaldo is not expected for a day. Yesterday, a report reached General Lawton, by courier from General Young, that people knowing the country think Aguinaldo's destination is Ilocos.

With General Lawton's troops in a position to move toward Bayombong by every road from the south, and impenetrable mountains, peopled by unfriendly semi-savage tribes behind him, Bayombong will be a poor refuge for Aguinaldo.

It is reported that General Lawton is moving northward from Tayug with infantry to head off Aguinaldo.

General Young has only one troop of cavalry and the Macabebees, who originally numbered 300. Aguinaldo is supposed to have two days start from Ariangay.

The transports Newport and Tartar have arrived.

TREASURE RECOVERED.

Gold and Silver Found by Wreckers in Spanish Ships Sunk at Santiago.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, November 23.—The wreckers working on the sunken Spanish armored cruiser Almirante Oquendo yesterday discovered a chest containing $19,000 in Spanish gold, which the Cendoya Company, the firm employing the divers, will retain. Work on the cruiser has been in progress for five months and many thousand dollars worth of treasure has been secured. The safe was found in the bottom, where it fell during the burning of the ship.

Only a few days ago the wreckers began on the torpedo boat destroyer Furor. They have already found a service of heavy silver plate. Experts assert, after inspecting the destroyer, that she might easily have been raised and repaired. The wrecking operations have proved a source of large returns to the company, estimated at $500,000.

LYNCHING IN FLORIDA.

Negro Hanged by Citizens for Criminal Assault On a White Woman.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

PENSACOLA, FLA., November 22.—The body of Wesley Lawrence, the negro who a few days ago criminally assaulted Mrs. W. M. Bowman, near McDavid, in Escambia county, was found this morning swinging from a tree near the scene of his crime.

An armed posse found him in a swamp near Canoe, Alabama, yesterday, too exhausted by hunger to offer fight. He was carried to the home of Mrs. Bowman, and after he had been positively identified was hanged to a neighboring tree. As his body was hoisted from the ground it was riddled with bullets from some 200 rifles and revolvers. Sheriff Smith is investigating the lynching.

PAMUNKEY INDIANS.

Chiefs of the Tribe Pay Annual Tribute to the Governor of Virginia.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

RICHMOND, VA., Nov. 22.—The annual tribute of the Virginia tribe of Indians, the Pamunkeys, was made to the Governor to-day. The delegates from the tribe were headed by Chief Dennis and Second Chief Bradby, who headed a party of seven. They visited the Governor and were shown the mansion. The material tribute to the Governor consisted of a slain deer and a large wild turkey.

The Pamunkeys attach great importance to their annual tribute and observe the occasion with religious solemnity.

H. C. McFadden, assistant general passenger agent of the Plant system, with office in Savannah, has been appointed general western agent of that system with headquarters in Chicago. Mr. McFadden is in Chicago arranging to take charge of his duties there on December 1.

The Norfolk (Va) Heat, Light and Power company was chartered yesterday, with a maximum capital of $3,000,000. This company will bid for the city's electric lighting. A similar enterprise was chartered a few days ago.

Working Night and Day.

The busiest and mightiest little thing that ever was made is Dr. King's New Life Pills. Every pill is a sugar-coated globule of health, that changes weakness into strength, listlessness into energy and brain-fag into mental power. They're wonderful in building up the health. Only 25c per box. Sold by ROBT. R. BELLAMY, druggist. †

FOUND DEAD IN BED.

Two Farmers Asphyxiated by Gas in a Boarding House at Savannah, Ga.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Nov. 22.—D. W. Pope, aged 49, a farmer, of Scott, Ga., and D. M. Perdue, aged 39, farmer and merchant of the same place, were asphyxiated by illuminating gas in a boarding house this morning. They were Sons of Confederate Veterans, and were here to attend the reunion of the order now in progress. They occupied the same room, and retired about midnight, locking the door on the inside. A friend had previously, in a joking manner, but with all serious intention, warned them against blowing out the gas, and the warning it is said had been repeated by the housekeeper. Nevertheless they were found dead in bed this morning with the jet open.

WARM WIRELETS.

Mayor S. B. Price, of Macon, Ga., died after an operation performed yesterday at the Macon hospital.

Bingham School yesterday defeated the University of South Carolina at foot ball by a score of 18 to 6, at Asheville, N. C.

Mgr. Donato Sbarretti, auditor of the apostolic delegation in Washington, D. C., has been appointed by the Pope Bishop of Havana.

Georgia Division United Confederate Veterans held their annual reunion yesterday in Savannah, Ga. Gen. C. A. Evans was re-elected Commander.

Senator Deboe, of Kentucky, had a conference with President McKinley regarding the situation in Kentucky. The interview was of a nature which Senator Deboe did not care to divulge.

The fourth semi-annual convention of the Southern Publishers Association was held yesterday in the banquet hall of the St. Charles Hotel, New Orleans. The present officers were re-elected.

The preliminary trial of the Tribune torpedo boat Viper took place yesterday at London, Eng., and was successful. She developed a speed of 32 knots. The official trials will follow in a few days.

K. Yogoo, merchant of Osaka, Japan, is purchasing cotton for export to Osaka. He has visited New Orleans, where he bought 5,000 bales, and Memphis, where he bought 1,000 bales. It is expected that he will buy largely in Savannah, Ga.

A solid silver loving cup was received at Tompkinsville, Staten island, for Rear Admiral Winfield Scott Schley. It came from citizens of St. Louis, and was sent out to the Admiral's flagship, the Chicago, which is lying off the government anchorage.

The Baltimore and Ohio's limited passenger train drawn by two locomotives ran into the rear of a freight train near McCool, a small station fifty miles out of Chicago yesterday. Both the passenger engines were ditched and their crews killed.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

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Wanted—Board for gentleman and wife in nice quiet family within three or four blocks of Front and Princess. Give price and residence. Address, "312" General Delivery, City. nov 23 2t*

Miss Lord will open a Class in Dancing Friday night, November 24th, at 8 15 o'clock, at Germania Hall For particulars apply at 304 South Front street. su th no 19 2t*

For Rent—Store northeast corner Fourth and Walnut streets. Possession given about Dec. 1st. Apply to M. E. VanLaer, 402-404 North Fourth street. nov 21 2tw

A Fair Show—Ship Pork, Beef—dressed and live—Poultry, Eggs, Peanuts, Potatoes, and everything in the Produce line to R. B. Moore for good prices and prompt returns. No. 5 Dock street, Wilmington, N. C. no 19 tf

A pleased customer is a good advertiser, so is an ad. in this paper. Two reasons why my business in Piano Tuning is improving constantly. Be kind enough to send orders early to insure attention within a week. John G. Ruesell, 413 Orange street. Bell 'Phone 198. no 19 tf

The people are realizing that the Star Studio is the place to have their work done. We are turning out hundreds of Photographs every week. We give the very best work there is made and do not charge you two prices. We will be open all Thanksgiving Day. Special low rates during the holidays. Come and examine our work. One dozen Cabinets, Grade B, $1.00, special discount on best work. Star Studio, 116 Market street. no 18 tf

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Wanted—All kinds of Country Produce, Chickens, Eggs, Apples, Cabbage and Country Hams. Your shipments solicited. Highest prices prompt returns. W. C Page, Commission Merchant, No. 6 Princess street. nov 7 tf

Oyster Roasts—Fine Oyster Roasts are now being served at the Atlantic View Hotel, Wrightsville Sound. See large sign over gate right at Seacoast depot. Ladies and gentlemen are invited to give our Roasts a trial. Obliging and polite attendance. Horses cared for. Bell 'Phone No. 12, Wrightsville, John H. Hanby, owner. oct 26 1m

Fresh Ground Graham and Rye Flour Seed Rye, Wheat and all kinds mixed Feed for horses and cattle. John S. McEachern, 211 Market street. 'Phones 92. oc 15 tf.

Tom and Jerry, Hot Spiced Rum, Hot Scotch, Hot Whiskey, Hot Lunch and Oysters every day at The Globe, No. 22 Market street. oct 3 tf

For Sale—Hand-made Buggies of different makes. Also Harness of all kinds; and prices to suit the times. Come and see me when in need of something nice. P. H. Hayden. sep 24 tf

Why not call on Marshall & Jones for your Blacksmith and Wheelwright work, Electrical Bell work and Plumbing at their General Repair Shops, Seventeenth and Market streets? Bell 'Phone 474, Inter-State 197 call 4. Competent workmen in every department. sep 24 tf

Large consignment Mt. Airy Apples in to-day. Choice stock for quick sale. Bananas, Oranges, Lemons and Choice Confections. Best Up-country Butter always on hand. A. S. Winstead, Second street, corner postoffice green. jy 20 tf

Turpentine Still and Fixtures complete, For sale low. The Worth Co. apr 7 tf

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of which we have the largest and best selected line ever brought to this city.

Nice New Decorated Dinner Sets, ranging from

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New Goods daily received, which will be sold at prices that will merit your patronage.

Country Merchants would do well to get our prices before placing orders.

O. P. CAZAUX & CO.
oct 30 tf

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Wanted, Cow Peas.

1,000 Bushels Cow Peas wanted.
Sound and well cleaned.

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I have for sale
a nice little house
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For $750.

CUMMING,
The Real Estate Agent
oct 25 tf and Notary Public.

Merchants visiting the Masonic Temple Fair

Will be warmly welcomed at our place of business. And an inspection of our stock of

Staple and Fancy Groceries

may prove of additional interest to them.

HALL & PEARSALL,
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MEAL, MEAL.

250 s'ks Best W. G. Meal.
40 bags C. C. Nuts.
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99,000 lbs Rib Sides.
200 bbls Pork.
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D. L. GORE,
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nov 21 tf Wilmington, N. C.

Here is to health of the Masonic Fair!



Hamme, the Hatter

Will treat you square

In Hats, Caps and Umbrellas.

Latest styles and lowest prices.
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The Drummer and the Lady.

A drummer said, "The finest and best selected, cheapest stock in the South."
A lady said, "For anything fine you will have to go to Mr. Parker's."
I duplicate special bargains with better goods at a less price. See if what I say is not so before you snap at "bargains."

N. F. PARKER,
Furniture and Furniture Novelties,
oct 25 tf No. 17 South Front street.

New Meat Market.

This is to inform the many friends of Mr. Johnnie Hintz that he has completed arrangements to go into the Meat Business under the firm name of J. H. Hintz & Co., on stalls Nos. and 3, north side of Market House, formerly occupied by C. B. Garrell & Co., where by polite attention and dispatch he hopes for a full share of the patronage of his old friends.

J. H. HINTZ.
Inter-State 'Phone 338, Bell 'Phone 126,
sep 24 tf

D. O'CONNOR.

Real Estate Agent, Wilmington, N. C.



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I am prepared to serve on short notice fine Myrtle Grove Oysters Roasted. New Rivers on half shell. Open daily until 12 o'clock at night. Northwest corner Front and Orange streets. Bell 'Phone 209. Inter-State 33.
nov 11 1m GEO. B. SMITH.

Y. M. C. A. HALL,

Friday, Nov. 24th, "Beside the Bonnie Brier Bush."
Tuesday, Nov. 21st, "An Evening With Robt Burns."

By MISS JEAN HOWISON, of Perth, Scotland.
Tickets 50 cents. nov 16 6t

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To inspect our immense stock of Knights Templar and Masonic Charms, Pins and Buttons.

Largest line ever shown in Wilmington.

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Our Optician offers Metropolitan Service. nov 19 tf

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OR ANY SOCIAL FUNCTION A MAN SHOULD BE PROVIDED WITH A DRESS SUIT OF THE LATEST CUT AND FASHION. ORDER NOW AND WE WILL HAVE IT READY FOR YOU ON TIME AND WILL GUARANTEE THAT IN PERFECTION OF FIT, DISTINGUE STYLE AND BEAUTY OF FABRIC NO ONE WILL LOOK MORE "SWELL" THAN A MAN WHO WEARS ONE OF OUR CUSTOM SUITS. FURNISHING GOODS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION. UNDERWEAR AT A GREAT REDUCTION.

M. H. CURRAN,
nov 16 tf 107 PRINCESS STREET.

A DISCOUNT OF --10 per cent

Will be allowed all customers who purchase a FALL SUIT or OVERCOAT within the next TEN DAYS, in order to better introduce

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A. SHRIER,
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Change of Business.

WE ARE GOING TO MAKE A CHANGE IN OUR BUSINESS, AND OFFER OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF

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Nothing charged.
ALL CASH.

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nov 17 tf

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Zinc Covered Trunks from $1.25 to $3.00.
Four Quarter Floor Oil Cloth 80 cents per yd.
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Ladies' Umbrellas from 39 cents to $2 00.
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Thick heavy Overalls double face, 50 cents;

Jumpers, 50 cents.
Navy Pants Cloth, 12½ to 15 cents.
Good White Homespun, 3 cents yard.
Good check Homespun, 4 to 5 cents.
Calico, 4 to 5 cents per yard
Pretty Patterns in Heavy Outings, worth 8 cents, for 6 cents.

Call and view our new store filled with Bargains.

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Elegant line to select from.

Golf Capes, $1.50 up to $8.50.

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Bargains in Jackets.
Big lot of New Mattings just received.

Bargains in every Department.

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Car fare paid on purchases of $2 00 and up
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Leggins and Over Gaiters.

Leather Leggings for Small Boys. Wool Leggins for Women and Children. Over Gaiters for Men and Women.



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We close at 7 o'clock except Saturday. nov 19 tf

$600 Worth . . . of Drummers' Millinery Samples on sale at **THE BEE HIVE.**

THE LOT CONSISTS OF....

All kinds of Hats, Plumes, Tips, Feathers, Ornaments, Infants' Caps, &c.
We Bought them very much below regular value, and we are selling them wonderfully cheap. You are invited to come and look over the lot and make selections. If you look you will buy at THE BEE HIVE, W. H. GAYLORD, Prop

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W. H. GAYLORD.
nov 10 tf